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PRICE TWO CENTS

## GROCERY BUSINESS

Of Fred E. Meyer, Sold to John H. Steward.

Fred E. Meyer has sold his grocery business at the corner of Third and Chestnut streets to John H. Steward who took possession of the store this morning. It became necessary for Mr. Meyer to retire from active business because of his failing health.

Mr. Meyer has been engaged in business in Seymour for nearly twenty-nine years. He has probably been in continuous active business life longer than any other business man in the city. He began the grocery business in partnership with his brother, George, March 7, 1881 and has always been located in this present place of business with the exception of eighteen months when the store was in the building on Chestnut street formerly occupied by the New Pearl Steam Laundry. The firm was known as Meyer Brothers from the time of its organization, and that name was still continued after the death of George Meyer which occurred several years ago. Mr. Meyer has a wide acquaintance throughout the county and by fair and honest methods and courteous treatment he established a large and profitable business. Mr. Meyer has always given his business close and careful attention which accounts to a large degree for his success. During the twenty-nine years he has been in business his total vacation would not exceed three months.

Mr. Meyer was born in Hamilton township, March 9, 1856. He was married to Miss Florence E. Findley September 15, 1883.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer have reared the children of Mr. and Mrs. George Meyer, both of whom died when their children were quite young. The younger children Christine, Gertrude and Herald now make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, and the older boys Everett and Carl are successful young business men. Miss Sophia Meyer who had been of great assistance to him in the store for over twenty-five years died a few months ago.

Mr. Meyer will continue to live at his present home until his dwelling on Indianapolis-avenue is vacated. Mr. Steward will take personal charge of his store but will be assisted by Mr. Meyer until he becomes thoroughly acquainted with the business. Mr. Steward has had considerable business experience and will receive his share of patronage.

### Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the city of Seymour, will receive sealed bids at the office of the City Clerk on or before twelve o'clock, noon of the 21st day of Feb. 1910 for the collection, removal and disposal of all kitchen slops, waste vegetables, waste fruits, animal waste, parings, refuse bread and all offal commonly called garbage of the city of Seymour, as per ordinance No. 643 and resolution No. 6 now on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of one year. That all bidders shall file with their bid a certified check, a cash deposit of twenty-five dollars conditioned that he will enter into a contract with the city of Seymour if bid is awarded him.

By order of the Common Council.  
JOHN HAUENSCHILD, City Clerk.  
f8a15d

A few more old ice cans on hand, suitable for ashes or garbage cans. Price 50 cents. Ebner Ice & Cold Storage Company.  
f10d

## DIED.

THOMPSON—Mrs. W. E. Thompson, sister-in-law of Mrs. James Blair, of N. Lynn street, died Monday afternoon Feb. 7th, at 12:20 o'clock at their home at Indianapolis after an extended illness. Age about 40 years. She leaves a husband and one child about four years of age. Funeral services at Indianapolis perhaps Wednesday afternoon about two o'clock, after which the remains will be placed in a vault and buried a few days later.

### Treasurer's Report.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Safety Monday evening, C. W. Burkart, city treasurer, made the following report:

Receipts and disbursements from Jan. 3, 1910 to Feb. 1, 1910.

RECEIPTS.  
Balance on hand Jan. 3, '10...\$2558 43  
Miscellaneous receipts..... 2000 00  
Dog license..... 4 50

Total.....\$4562 93

### DISBURSEMENTS.

Street improvement.....\$ 195 12  
Incidental..... 47 70  
Stationery and postage..... 3 40  
Fire Department..... 203 65  
Light..... 490 00  
Rebate tax..... 332 80  
Prisoners..... 2 80  
Garbage and ashes..... 150 00  
Water..... 12 50  
Sewer..... 7 95  
Salary..... 338 08  
Police Department..... 172 66

Balance on hand Feb. 1, '10... 2606 27

Sewer fund..... 754 24  
Special fund..... 1165 99  
General fund..... 686 04

2606 27

C. W. BURKART, City Treasurer,  
Feb. 1, 1910.

### Many Attend Dance.

About a hundred invitations were sent out for the dance to be given in the Modern Woodmen Hall Monday evening. About sixty young people were present and enjoyed a very pleasant time. There was excellent music and a good social time generally. Those who attended were well pleased with the entertainment.

### I. O. O. F. Meeting.

The Odd Fellows of this city will have a big meeting at their hall here tonight and there will be work in the first degree. A number of visitors from Crothersville and possibly some other places will be in attendance. The I. O. O. F. has been very active here and have had several very interesting social gatherings.

### Census Examination.

The applicants for places as census enumerators in Jackson county will be examined in this city tomorrow beginning at 9:30 a. m. The examination will be held in the city building under the direction of Postmaster Masters. There are nearly a hundred applicants in the county.

### Unfortunate.

"A woman is as old as she looks, Mr. Gilly," said Miss Smirk.  
"Oh, Miss Smirk," replied Mr. Gilly, who generally makes a muck of it when he tries to pay a compliment, "surely you are an exception to the rule."—Exchange.

Holmes Robertson was here from Honeytown Wednesday evening calling on his friends.

S. A. Barnes returned to Brownstown this morning to attend commissioners' court.

C. U. McMullen was here from Aurora this morning.

## Explosion Wrecks Mill.

The boiler in the lumber and spoke mill of J. Ezra Thomas, of Thomas-town, seven miles northwest of Scottsburg, exploded Monday afternoon destroying the building and seriously injuring several of the workmen.

The cause of the explosion is not known as there was said to have been plenty of water in the gauge and the steam pressure was at 130 pounds. It is believed that the gauge was defective and that the boiler had superheated and when the cold water entered the boiler caused it to explode.

Eyewitnesses say that the steam dome of the boiler was blown 300 feet into the air. The mill was reduced to a scrap pile and it is considered a miracle that more men were not injured. The explosion came without warning and the men had no time to get away. A number were severely scalded by water. The mill was a new one, the old building having been destroyed by fire only a few months ago.

Mr. Thomas, the owner of the mill, has many acquaintances in Seymour.

Mr. E. A. Kelley, Belvidere, Ill., writes us: "I am an ex-engineer with 22 years active service to my credit. About three years ago my kidneys were affected so that I had to give up my engine. First I was troubled with severe, aching pain over the hips. Then followed inflammation of the bladder, and specks appeared before my eyes. A sample of Foley's Kidney Pills that I tried so benefited me that I bought more. I continued to take them until now I can safely testify they have made me a sound and well man." Sold by all druggists.

Rev. W. E. McCarty, of Portland, Ind., was in the city Monday en route to Shoals to assist in a meeting at the Methodist church at that place. He was at Ingalls, some distance east of Indianapolis, Sunday evening. Rev. Ingalls used to preach at Seymour some more than forty years ago and remembers many incidents that occurred while he was here.

A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at the first indication of croup give the child a dose. Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by all dealers.

The management of the opera house has secured for Feb. 8 the Johnson-Ketchel fight pictures that have been shown in the large cities. At Indianapolis the Orpheum theatre is running it all week.

L. K. Chilton of Louisville, who was expected here Monday, was detained at home having been especially engaged to sing the Corine Rider Kelsey concert at Louisville Monday evening.

Buy your furnishing goods, suitcases, umbrellas, suitcases, etc., at A. Sciarra's, 14 E. Second St.  
f5d-eod-tf

Conductor Robert Nichols, of the B. & O. S-W. who has been off duty for the past week on account of sickness, improves but slowly. He was able to walk down town this morning to see his physician.

Carl Hodapp, who has been confined in the city hospital for several days, on account of a severe attack of appendicitis and other complications, continues to improve.

Johnson-Ketchel great prize fight pictures at Majestic Tuesday evening, February 8.  
f8d

Mrs. E. H. Ahlbrand, who was quite seriously injured by falling into the cellar at her home on South Chestnut street a few days ago, is improving and is able to sit up most of the time.

Jess Himler, night ticket agent for Pennsylvania lines, went back on duty Monday night after being off for a few days on account of sickness.

Leave order for your Easter suit at Sciarra, the tailor's, 14 E. Second St.  
f5d eod-tf

Carr Branaman was a passenger, to Brownstown this morning.

U R next at Berdon's barber shop.

## DREAMLAND TONIGHT

Double Show TWO NEW PICTURES  
"THE SINS OF THE FATHERS" and  
"CONSOL CROSSES THE ATLANTIC"  
Illustrated Song  
"BILLY BOY"  
By Miss Lois Reynolds,  
MUSIC—Trap Drums and Piano

## Will Build New Residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gillman have sold their residence property on W. Fourth street, one square west of the Central Christian church to George Droege and are expected to vacate the same not later than June 1st. Meanwhile they expect to build a large two story residence on the lot which they recently purchased of John Grelle on S. Chestnut street, between the new residence of Mr. Grelle and the Seulke grocery store. To have the new residence ready by that time will be necessary to get busy at once toward completing the plans and letting the contract. The residence will have six rooms besides hallways, bath, pantry, basement and other modern conveniences. While there are to be several good residences built in the city again this year this will be one of the first ones to be pushed to completion and it will be another splendid addition to that part of the city.

### Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given at the home of Floyd Ruddick, in honor of his and Buford Goodale's birthday. Games were played and refreshments were served during the afternoon. Those present were: Floyd Ruddick, Buford Goodale, Grover Marquett, Albert Mitchell, Robert Pfaffenberger, Edward and Will Rothkop, Fairy and Roy Bottorff, Everett Meyer, Edward Meyer, Edward Massman, Crisse Lunte and Misses Inez Kriehagen, Esther Doane, Mayme and Agnes Scheurick, Estelle Ruddick, Marie Pfaffenberger, Edna Meyer, and Marie Brockoff. A very enjoyable evening was spent and the host received many nice presents. The guests departed wishing him many more such birthdays.

### Six O'clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ahlbrand entertained the following people at a six o'clock dinner Sunday evening at their home at the corner of Bruce and Walnut Sts: Frank Zabel, of Brownstown, Miss Lillie Brunow, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolting, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ahlbrand, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brunow, jr. Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Brunow and family.

### Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank my friends and customers for their patronage during my years of business in Seymour, and ask that they accord to Mr. Steward; who took charge of the store today, the same fair treatment that I received for so many years.

FRED E. MEYER.

## Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Johnson-Ketchel Fight pictures at Majestic Feb. 8.  
f8d

## Renew Your INSURANCE

For Fire, Lightning, Cylone, Accident, Plate Glass, Live Stock, Automobiles, Threshing Machines and Farming Implements with the

## FRED EVERBACK AGENCY COMPANY

FARMS AND CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE. \$475 will buy a lot in the Second ward with sewer, water and gas connections.  
Office Cor. 2nd St. and Indianapolis Ave.

## Meat Boycott at Mitchell.

The workmen at Mitchell have agreed not to eat meat until the price is reduced. They have further agreed not to buy foods that are controlled by a trust. Their policy is to use those things furnished by the farmer direct, and there are several farmers who are taking advantage of the situation and are butchering steers and hogs and selling the meat direct to customers. Lard, which was ten days ago retailing for 18 and 20 cents a pound, is now down to 15 cents, and eggs have dropped from 40 cents to 25 cents.

### Moved to Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Slavens, who have been making their home at Indianapolis for several months, left Monday for Southwestern Arkansas for future residence. Mr. Slavens will possibly engage in business there. They will be located at a small town near Mena, which is between Fort Smith and Texarkana. His mother, Mrs. Hesler will probably go down about the first of April to join them. They will be located in the midst of a great fruit country.

### Notice.

TO THE PUBLIC:  
It is the desire of the Seymour Public Library Board to consider the merits of any and all books in which any resident of Seymour and Jackson township is interested, and to that end invited all persons to leave with the Librarian the names of any and all books they would like installed.

PROF. J. A. LINKE,  
Chairman Book Committee.

### Lecture.

Rev. H. B. Roller who has been assisting the pastor of the First M. E. Church in special meetings, was heard last night by an audience that filled the house. His subject was "Travels in Europe." For more than an hour the speaker held the attention of his audience. The lecture was well received. The silver offering which was larger than expected will be used for missionary work in Russia.

### Vehicles Painted.

Our paint shop is already opened and we are prepared to do first class work on your buggies, carriages or other vehicles. An experienced painter in charge and the best of work done. Good supply of Rubber tires.

W. A. MISCH.  
211 N. Ewing St. Seymour, Ind.  
mltu-fawk.

### Announcement.

Fernando W. Wesner, of Jackson township, authorizes his announcement as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of the Fortieth Judicial Circuit, composed of the counties of Jackson and Scott, subject to the democratic voters thereof. d&w-tf

### Prof. Fitzgibbons Here.

Prof. T. F. Fitzgibbons, Superintendent of the Columbus public schools visited the Seymour public schools Monday afternoon.

## FOR THE STOMACH

Here's an Offer You Should Not Overlook.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets remedy stomach troubles by supplying the one element, the absence of which in the gastric juices causes indigestion and dyspepsia. They aid the stomach to digest food and to quickly convert it into rich red blood and material necessary for overcoming natural body waste.

Carry a package of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets in your vest pocket, or keep them in your room. Take one after each heavy meal and indigestion will not bother you.

We know what Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are and what they will do. We guarantee them to relieve indigestion and dyspepsia. If they fail we will refund your money. Three sizes: 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Seymour only at our store,—The Rexall Store. The Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

### Curfew Ordinance.

Notice is hereby given that the curfew ordinance, which forbids children under sixteen years of age from being on the streets after 8 o'clock p. m. from April 1 to October 1, and after 7 o'clock p. m. from October 1 to April 1, will be enforced after February 15.

f11d J. T. ABLE, City Marshal.

### To Florida Without Change.

Sleeping Car over Pennsylvania Lines leaves Seymour 5:55 a. m., and runs through via Louisville, in "The South Atlantic Limited," arrives in Jacksonville next morning. Dining Car services. For particulars consult ticket agent, J. T. Jones.  
f5-8-10-12-15d

### Will Move To Seymour.

Ulysses Montgomery, rural mail carrier on route No. 6 and who resides about three miles east of this city, is advertising his personal property for sale and expects to move to Seymour about the last of this month for future residence.

### Piano Tuning.

Four years factory experience. First class work. Call 'Phone 671 or address ESTEL HANCOCK, Seymour.

The people of Seymour will have the opportunity of seeing the genuine photographs in three reels moving pictures on February 8. Children 15c. Adults 25c. f8d

O. E. Pleak, of Lett's Corner, was here this morning to look at some land with a view to making a purchase in this county

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Fitch

## OUR JANUARY AVERAGE

The average number of paper issued by this paper after deducting unsold copies left in the office during the month of January was

DAILY - - - - 1133

WEEKLY - - - 2218

TOTAL - - - - 3351

This surpasses all newspaper records in Jackson county, even our own. Almost everybody reads the REPUBLICAN. If you want your store news to reach the people, the quickest, surest and most economical way is to use regularly the advertising columns of THE SEYMOUR REPUBLICAN

## AT THE NICKEL TONIGHT

"The Deacon's Daughter"

Melodrama  
ILLUSTRATED SONG:  
"Who's Afraid"  
By MISS ANNA E. CARTER

## We Give You Express Service

At Freight Rates

To and From LOUISVILLE

I. & L. Trac Co.

## The Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

Registered Pharmacists

Prescriptions Correctly Compounded

Phone Your Wants

Old Phone 400 New Phone 633

## CREPE PAPER

Colors Red and White—for

Valentine Decorations

Per Roll 5c

The Fair Store

Next to Hoadley's Grocery  
South Chestnut Street



## THE REPUBLICAN

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SEYMOUR - - - INDIANA

Ten to one it's your own fault if  
luck is against you.Even a king, it appears, cannot make  
a will which is unbreakable. Why be  
a king?Virtue being its own reward, you  
can't very well blame a man if he is  
good for nothing.The simple act of biting into a  
wormy chestnut has a tendency to  
make a pessimist of a man.The \$29,000,000 Uncle John D. saved  
in the Chicago proceeding will come  
in handy now to pay his lawyers' fees.Some people would have us believe  
that kissing is more dangerous than  
football, but they fail to give a list of  
the killed and injured.However, even if the furnace goes  
out and the cold wind blows under the  
door and the pipes freeze and all of  
that—there are no flies.After having worked down through  
the alphabet as far as Z and stepped  
on Mr. Zelaya, Uncle Sam now has  
Old Man Etc. on his hands."The question promptly arises," says  
the Omaha Bee, "What is the knead  
for a bakers' combine?" The answer  
suggests itself with equal promptness:  
"Dough."President Taft has seen New York's  
bread line in action, and he has every  
reason to believe that it was not or-  
ganized especially for his edification or  
amusement.Scientists say it would be possible  
for the earth to pass through the tail  
of Halley's comet without being hurt  
at all. It must be even thinner than  
the plot of a musical comedy.According to the Charleston News  
and Courier, a man is at his best at  
33. Undoubtedly he is, only some men  
are 33 at 21, others not until they are  
60, and some men never are 33.Some persons feel that if they could  
only live to attend the funeral of the  
Standard Oil Company they could die  
happy. Seems like a shame to tell  
them "there ain't going to be no fu-  
neral."Merciful goodness, what next! The  
Kansas Board of Health states that  
"roller towels are the most dangerous  
things the public comes in contact  
with," and it looks as if all of the  
Kansas rollers would have to come  
down.The new reply postal card, just ap-  
proved by the Postmaster General,  
bears on the first half a portrait of  
George Washington, and on the sec-  
ond half one of his wife. Thus it is  
that women always have the last word,  
even in matters relating to the mail.Danish women are rejoicing that one  
of their sex has been made a judge.  
It has been stated that Denmark is  
the first country in the world where  
this has happened. Nevertheless, in at  
least three States in this country—  
Illinois, Kansas and Wyoming—there  
have been women judges. To go back  
into the traditions of ancient times,  
there was Deborah, who judged Israel  
for many years, and even led its people  
into battle.Although it is well known that oys-  
ters are planted, it seems funny that  
it is the Department of Agriculture  
that is to inspect all the oyster beds  
and the stations from which the bi-  
valves are shipped. The yearly output  
of oysters on the Atlantic coast is  
valued at nearly \$20,000,000. A very  
great part of the trade being interstate,  
the traffic becomes subject to federal  
regulation and inspection. We may  
expect to see the oyster swell with  
pride and become more cleanly than  
ever in his person and surroundings as  
a special ward of Uncle Sam.Nearly 200 girls in the high schools  
of Kansas City have never seen a  
live hog. This interesting fact was  
disclosed as the result of a recent can-  
vass of the schools, following the dis-  
covery that a girl who saw a hog for  
the first time last summer was aston-  
ished to find that it had hair. One  
may smile at this condition of igno-  
rance, but the smile should not last  
long, for it calls attention to a se-  
rious evil of the time. The cities  
are growing rapidly, and their inter-  
ests are so absorbing that the town-  
dwellers are in danger of losing all  
knowledge of the country and the man-  
ner of life of its people, with conse-  
quent loss of sympathy with them.  
Some wise city parents have experi-  
mented in exchanging children for a  
short time with friends in the country.  
The country boys and girls learn some-  
thing of town ways, and the town chil-  
dren have an experience of the natu-  
ral life of the country, with advan-  
tage to all concerned.The discussion as to whether the  
manifestations produced by Eusapia  
Paladino and other so-called mediums,  
past and present, are genuine or frau-  
dulent is assuming considerable propor-  
tions; but there does not seem to be  
any particular interest taken in the  
question of the value of such manifes-

tations. This is after all the impor-  
tant matter. If the manifestations are  
fraudulent, they are certainly of no  
value. But if they are genuine? Have  
they added anything to the sum of  
human knowledge? Have they given  
us any important discovery in science,  
in applied mechanics, in chemistry, in  
astronomy, in medicine and sanitation?  
Have they given the world any moral  
or spiritual uplift? We may pass over  
the stories of enchantment, sorcery,  
witchcraft and devilism embodied in  
the Faust and other ancient legends,  
and confine our survey to the spirit-  
rappings, table-tippings, ghostly ma-  
terializations, pictures and writings of  
the last fifty years or more. The  
"psychics" assure us that they are all  
produced by supernatural forces. For  
argument's sake, let us admit that they  
are. Have these supernatural forces  
displayed any superior wisdom? Have  
they thrown any intelligent light upon  
the life beyond? Have they given us  
a single prescription for the allevia-  
tion of human pain, or the lightening  
of human sorrow? Scientists and schol-  
ars, working entirely along material  
lines, have rescued the biggest part of  
the earth from darkness and made life  
worth living; but the "spirits," work-  
ing through the "mediums," have done  
nothing more than to excite idle curi-  
osity. Perhaps the "spirits" are will-  
fully dumb, knowing that it is or-  
dained that man must solve his own  
problems and work out his own des-  
tiny.

One of the most fixed and funda-  
mental principles underlying human  
nature is the love of a bargain, the  
desire of getting something for noth-  
ing, or for a quarter or half, or even  
two-thirds of its value. It is common  
to man as well as to woman, as im-  
mutable as the everlasting hills, as  
deathless as the phoenix itself, although  
differing in its manifestations, for  
each personality has its own tempta-  
tions. The man who died recently  
leaving a trunkful of scissors is but  
one instance of the tendency empha-  
sized to a vagary, and a searching  
self-examination might reveal to many  
a woman hoarded, never-used bargains,  
bought because they were cheap, laid  
shamefacedly away because they had  
no practical value. For all the world  
cannot be so lucky in its eccentricities  
as was "Lord" Timothy Dexter,  
who made a fortune by sending a  
cargo of warming-pans to the West In-  
dies, where warming-pans were not  
needed, but where they were in great  
demand as sugar-dippers. No, ordi-  
nary buyers must make the best of  
their bargains, and content them-  
selves with knowing that they meant  
to be thrifty. It would be an excel-  
lent thing if Gilbert's worthy "Mika-  
do" could revise his immortal song,  
or at least, hope in another verse to  
achieve his object all sublime by  
making the purchasing fit the income;  
at any rate, the "dalliness" of exist-  
ence. But while bargains allure and  
hope springs eternal, mankind and  
womanhood will persist in buying for  
possible needs, not saving for real  
necessities; providing, like the "White  
Knight," metaphorical mouse-traps for  
the mice that never ran over his  
horse's back. "Not very likely," said  
the knight to Alice's question, "but  
if they do come I don't choose to have  
them running all about." And that  
is the way of the world.

## Wit of the Youngsters

Doctor—Johnny, I see the pills I  
gave you have made you well again.  
How did you take them—with water or  
in cake? Small Johnny—I used them  
in my popgun to shoot at the cat.

One day 5-year-old Bobby was se-  
verely chastised by his mother, who  
had previously told him of his prehis-  
toric whereabouts. "M-mamma," he  
sobbed, "I w-wish I had s-stayed in  
h-heaven."

Little Howard—Mamma, thirteen is  
an unlucky number, isn't it? Mamma  
—Some people think it is, dear. Little  
Howard—Well, there were thirteen  
pieces of cake on the kitchen table,  
so I took one to break the hoodoo.

Teacher—Tommy, what part of  
speech is "nose"? Tommy—it ain't  
any part of speech. Teacher—But it  
must be. Tommy—Well, maybe yours  
is, because you talk through it—but  
the only part of speech I've got is my  
mouth.

At the turkey dinner on Thanksgiv-  
ing day small Ruth heard each remark  
made as the plates were passed. One  
wanted "a small piece of the dark  
meat" and another "just a little light  
meat." When it came her turn to be  
served she lifted her plate toward the  
coveted fowl eagerly and said: "You  
may give me too much of both kinds,  
if you please, papa."

A Position of Suffering.  
"I am afraid of pain, and that is  
why I would not like to be the warden  
of a jail."

"Why not?"  
"Because a jail warden is bound to  
have a felon always on his hands."—  
Baltimore American.

Business Transaction.  
Mike—Oh, Pat, the black eye 'ave  
ye! Phwat's the matter?

Pat—Ol paid Clancy a grudge yister-  
day, an' thot's the resate he gave me.  
—Tit-Bits.

A man is usually as far from being  
a devil as a woman is from being an  
angel.

# The HOME

HOME BEAUTIFUL.

Time, indeed, to be gathering in  
the last bits of flotsam and jetsam  
from fields and woods, seashore and  
garden borders, and truly paying  
proposition it will prove in the lean  
and chilly days to come.

In the last trips to lake or seashore,  
baskets and bucketfuls of white sand  
can be brought home, enough to keep  
the bird cages well supplied all win-  
ter, enough to answer for kitchen  
scouring purposes, enough to fill sev-  
eral stout bags that can be heated  
in the oven for keeping cold feet  
warm on especially cold nights, and  
enough to give a good big box full  
for the children to dig and play with  
on rainy days all the winter through.  
Where plants are to be propagated at  
home, a little bag of sand to mix with  
potting soil is also of distinct advan-  
tage.

Every one who has facilities for an  
open fire knows the charm of a drift  
wood blaze, and every little bit that  
is impregnated with the salt, or with  
copper or iron from nails, will be a  
joy when the family is gathered at  
twilight around the open hearth.

Pretty rounded stones make good  
paper weights, white pebbles of differ-  
ent sizes can be utilized instead of  
lead weights or shot that in ligh-  
t gowns and coats so often show a dark  
shadow even through several thick-  
nesses of cloth. Clam shells well  
scrubbed and tied up in packages of  
a half-dozen or a dozen make a pretty  
and useful Christmas present for the  
housekeeper who can utilize them for  
individual ramikins or pate dishes.

Scallop shells of equal size may  
have holes bored in them to corre-  
spond, then tied together with bebe-  
ribbon bows after filling with small  
velvet or silk cushions stuffed with  
wool to hold pins. Sometimes these  
scallop shells are tied together after  
inserting a quotation or conundrum  
relating to the sea and are used as  
favors or place cards for a dinner.

From the woods little roots of fern  
and checkerberry can be brought  
home to fill the fern dishes for the  
table, and it goes without saying that  
some of the rich wood earth will be  
invaluable in potting plants for win-  
ter's blooming. Then there are  
sprays of the brilliant scarlet bitter-  
sweet, the tips of the sweet briar, cat-  
tails, mosses, pretty pieces of bark  
for covering boxes, clusters of ever-  
lasting, fungi, acorn cups and saucers  
that can be utilized for decorating the  
Thanksgiving table and making  
pretty Christmas gifts.

From the home flower garden there  
are clusters of the decorative dried  
hydrangea blossoms, branches of nas-  
turtiums that can be put into water  
to blossom and keep green for days  
longer. Of course the nasturtium  
seeds must all be gathered and made  
into pickles to be used in lieu of  
capers or as a garnish for fish.—New  
Haven Register.

## CORRECT WAY TO SERVE.

The banishment of a waitress' tray  
when serving a meal is one of the in-  
novations to which maids must now  
be trained, for a silver salver, with-  
out which no dining table service was  
good until within a few years, now  
belongs to the epoch dubbed "country."  
In its place a folded dinner  
napkin, spick and span as it came  
from the laundry, never leaves the  
maid's right hand, the linen serving  
as a salver, while protecting her fin-  
dishes.

A waitress who has not been  
taught to do this finds the greatest  
difficulty in knowing what to do with  
her hands. She has the awkwardness  
of a school boy, yet nothing could be  
simpler than the new method. The  
napkin, in its original square folds,  
is laid on the open palm of the right  
hand. On this the platter or other  
dish is placed. If the china is a large  
piece, the left will probably be re-  
quired to hold the dish securely on  
its resting place. When properly  
done, the right hand is entirely con-  
cealed.

Another point of this service which  
takes an inexperienced maid time to  
learn, as a rule, is that the dishes  
must be put very close to the plates  
of those helping themselves. The  
natural inclination of the waitress  
seems to be to keep the food both  
high and away. It is usually neces-  
sary that she shall bend while serv-  
ing, and the dish in her hands should  
be almost touching the plate on the  
table. The woman must also be  
taught to tip a platter slightly, that  
gravity may be taken up.

The mysteries of using both a fork  
and tablespoon to each dish of vege-  
tables are another innovation which  
need explaining to the novice. There  
is scarcely any food in a big dish  
which is not more easily transferred  
to a plate by using two utensils for  
it. Some vegetables, such as Sara-  
toga chips and asparagus, it is prac-  
tically impossible to get into a spoon  
without the assistance of a fork. A  
new maid who does not so equip each  
of her dishes must be taught to do  
so, and a housekeeper who is going  
through her own apprenticeship need  
not be afraid of following the cus-  
tom too often.

Fashion now decrees another way  
than the old of putting on finger  
bowls. They are not brought by  
themselves, last, as in former years.  
The glass basins are put on the des-

sert plates, a lace or linen dolly be-  
ing under each basin. These plates  
are put before each person, who re-  
moves the linen and bowl, leaving  
the plate empty. The dessert is then  
handed.

In houses where extreme fashions  
are followed the finger bowl has its  
own plate, that being set into the des-  
sert plate. This means that two to-  
gether, with a bowl on top, are put  
before each person. The basin, with  
its own plate, is lifted off by the  
person before whom it is set.—Ros-  
anna Schuyler, in the New York Tele-  
gram.

## GIRLS AND MARRIAGE.

I have just been having a long talk  
with Marcia about girls and mar-  
riage. She is now 27, an age at which  
the era of old-maidism was at one  
period well begun, but which now is  
regarded as quite girlish. The fash-  
ionable age for marriage is, you  
know, from 27 to 32 for women, from  
30 to 45 for men.

Marcia has had three or four good  
offers, but has refused them because  
she did not love the men who made  
them. She can not understand how  
any girl or woman can marry a man  
she does not love.

"And yet," she said, in her quiet  
way, "I should like to marry. I  
should love to have someone that I  
could be nice to, thoughtful for. I  
believe that half the girls in the  
world feel as I do. They know that  
they have the power to make some  
man happy, and every day they feel  
the want of someone to be good to.  
It is such a waste, Madge dear.  
When you think of it, it is not al-  
ways the girls who have the best cap-  
acity to be home-makers who marry.  
Men seem to admire the fast and  
fluffy girls, not the gentle, quiet ones  
who hate to be conspicuous, who nei-  
ther smoke nor drink B. and S. nor  
gamble at bridge."

"But you are one of the quiet  
ones," I said, "and you have had of-  
fers."

"Yes," said Marcia. "One man  
asked me to marry him because he  
was a widower with three children,  
and was tormented by incapable  
nurses and other servant worries.  
Another man proposed to me on three  
days' acquaintance. I disliked him,  
and the only reason I can think of  
for his asking me was that he liked  
my singing. The third offer was from  
someone quite nice, well off, and of  
good position. But I did not care for  
him in the right way. I don't want  
to be an old maid, though, Madge."  
I suppose a woman may go through  
life without meeting anyone she  
could fall in love with! What do you  
think? It seems rather sad. I asked  
Marcia if she ever had seen, even  
for a moment, any man she thought  
she could endure the thought of as  
a husband.

"Yes," she said, "once. It was in  
a crowd on a very solemn occasion.  
Immediately in front of me stood a  
very tall man, impeding my view of  
what we were all looking at. I 'willed'  
him to move, and he did so. You  
know the trick, Madge? And then I  
saw his face—fine in feature, beau-  
tiful in its serious, manly, sweet ex-  
pression. I have not forgotten it,  
though it is five years ago."

"Marcia, was it after you had seen  
him that you refused those other  
men?"

"Yes. But that had nothing to do  
with it. I could not have said 'yes'  
to any of them in any case."

So she said, and so she thinks, but  
between you and me, Amy dear, I  
fancy that that one glimpse of the  
ideal spoiled her poor Marcia fore-  
ever for the real.—Extract from  
Madge's letter in Truth.

## WOMEN EXPERT LAPIDARIES.

The highest paid women in France  
are cutters of precious stones, and  
they receive \$1.80 a day. So expert  
are these women that they threaten  
to win supremacy in diamond cutting  
from Amsterdam. All the women en-  
gaged in the work are in Paris, and  
their numbers are increasing steady-  
ly. The lowest wage paid is 60 cents  
a day, to dressmakers. The majority  
of the 14,000,000 women in France  
earn their own living. Earnest ef-  
forts now are being made to interest  
French women in a campaign for the  
ballot, and many recruits are being  
won to a national organization. Women  
are allowed few privileges in  
France compared with other Old  
World countries, and to legislative  
restrictions is attributed the will-  
ingness of the Frenchman to lord it  
over the gentler sex.—New York  
Press.

## FASHION NOTES.

Beaded purses are prominent in all  
sizes.  
Chenille has returned to favor as  
a trimming.

Scarfs of the season are generally  
long and wide.

All the hair ornaments of the hour  
are glittering.

Velvet makes up many of the hand-  
some walking gowns.

Beads and bugles figure promi-  
nently in trimming designs.

Two-toned linings are seen on  
many of the tailored coats.

The lace of our grandmothers is  
in the height of fashion.

There is little limitation upon the  
length of sleeves, but the general ten-  
dency is toward shorter ones.

## Ancient Hindu Temple.

The Borobodoer unearthed by Sir  
Stamford Raffles when the English  
ruled in Java was built by the Hindus  
in the eighth century and is by far  
the finest example of their work in  
the island. Standing on a hill in the  
middle of the valley, this imposing  
edifice, covering nearly ten acres,  
rises to a height of upward of a hun-  
dred feet above the summit of the  
hill.

It consists of a series of stone ter-  
races built on top of each other in  
diminishing magnitude, so as to leave  
circumscribing galleries and crowned  
by a vast cupola; entrance to the gal-  
leries is gained by four stairways,  
north, south, east and west, which  
run from the ground straight up to  
the big top terraces, in the middle of  
which stands the crowning cupolas,  
surrounded by numerous small-  
er lattice work cupolas, and  
from which one may step aside  
into any of the intermediate galleries.

The whole is built of stone, show-  
ing an immense amount of carving,  
and though there is no genuine in-  
side to the temple many of the gal-  
leries are covered in, innumerable  
images of Buddha occupying niches  
or prominent positions on the walls,  
and the sides of the galleries were  
paved with bas-reliefs, indicating the  
glorification of this god and other in-  
cidents in his history. When one con-  
siders that there are several miles of  
bas-reliefs along the work expended  
on the pyramids of Egypt pales into  
insignificance before this stupendous  
undertaking.—Shanghai Mercury.

## A Mountain Puzzle.

"The Blue Ridge Mountains abound  
in natural wonders," observed H. A.  
Barnes of Pen-Mar. "Most wonderful  
of them all in my opinion is the Dev-  
il's Racecourse, which is but a short  
walk from Pen-Mar."

"At first view this strange natural  
phenomenon appears like a broad  
roadway of great stones which ex-  
tends away up the mountain in a path  
no human hand could ever build.  
Many of these great stones weigh  
tons, while others are only a few hun-  
dredweight. Lying close together by  
the thousand, they present an extra-  
ordinary spectacle.

"Tradition has it, and scientists  
agree, that a thousand or more years  
ago this strange track was the bed of  
an ancient river. The conclusion is  
drawn from the looks of the stones;  
they are all well rounded and worn  
smooth, showing the action of water,  
which had polished their rough edges  
no doubt for centuries.

"But the mystery is, if this theory  
be true, to explain how the great  
body of water was confined at the  
sides, for the course is not hemmed  
in by high banks, nor is it located  
in a ravine. In fact, it stands some-  
what higher than the natural side of  
the mountain. The puzzle only in-  
tensifies interest in the queer place  
and multiplies the arguments and  
theories of its prehistoric origin."

## A One Armed Pianist.

Hungary's one armed pianist and  
composer, Count Geza Zichy, reached  
his sixtieth birthday in the first week  
of the month. As a boy of 14 he  
lost his right arm through an acci-  
dent he met with while hunting, but  
even without the usual complement  
of fingers he was not to be deterred  
from devoting his life to music.

With Liszt and Robert Volkmann  
as his teachers he developed an ex-  
traordinary left hand technic and  
gained a comprehensive knowledge  
of the art of composing.

His principal work has been made  
in the domain of opera. His "Alar"  
found its way to Berlin; both it and  
"Meister Roland" have been perform-  
ed frequently in Hungary. He has al-  
so produced a large choral work, "Do-  
lores," and a great many songs and  
piano pieces. A "Valse d'Adele" he  
wrote for the left hand was arranged  
by Liszt for two hands, but—thank  
heaven!—it is never played now.—  
Musical America.

## An Awkward Gift.

"Many of my opponents," said Jo-  
seph Chamberlain in one of his tariff  
reform speeches, "are as ignorant of  
my proposition as was a certain far-  
mer, many years ago, of the umbrella."  
"This farmer made a journey of  
some twenty miles on foot to a small  
town. As he was about to set off for  
home again a hard rain came up, and  
his host loaned him an umbrella—a  
novelty at the time—opening it him-  
self so as to save his friend all pos-  
sible trouble.

"A week later the farmer brought  
the umbrella back. The weather was  
bright and fine, but he held the con-  
trivance open over his head.

"This instrument," he grumbled,  
"is more trouble than it's worth.  
There wasn't a doorway in the village  
I could get it through, and I had to  
tether it all the week in the field."  
—Everybody's Magazine.

What the automobile is to the Uni-  
ted States the motorboat is to Can-  
ada, especially along the St. Law-  
rence and in British Columbia.

Europe has 20,000 newspapers, of  
which Germany possesses the larg-  
est number, England, however, has  
the greatest number of daily news-  
papers.

The Gauschaufel is simply an open  
air sanitarium for healthy people  
opened last year by the municipality  
of Vienna.

Siberia exported nearly 58,000 tons  
of butter last year, chiefly to Den-  
mark, Germany and England.



Munyon's Paw Paw Pills coax the  
liver into activity by gentle methods.  
They do not scour, gripe or weaken. They  
are a tonic to the stomach, liver and  
nerves; invigorate instead of weaken.  
They enrich the blood and enable the  
stomach to get all the nourishment from  
food that is put into it. These pills con-  
tain no calomel; they are soothing, heal-  
ing and stimulating. For sale by all drug-  
gists in 10c and 25c sizes. If you need  
medical advice, write Munyon's Doctors.  
They will advise to the best of their abil-  
ity absolutely free of charge. MUN-  
YON'S, 33d and Jefferson Sts., Phil-  
adelphia, Pa.

Munyon's Cold Remedy cures a cold in  
one day. Price 25c. Munyon's Rheuma-  
tism Remedy relieves in a few hours and  
cures in a few days. Price 25c.

## Righteously Indignant.

"Half the crime in this town," said  
Mrs. Lapsling, "is caused by the sal-  
oons that keep open all night. When  
a saloon-keeper refuses to close his  
place of business at 1 o'clock I think  
the mayor ought to provoke his li-  
cense!"—Chicago Tribune.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for  
any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by  
Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J.  
Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe  
him perfectly honorable in all business trans-  
actions, and financially able to carry out  
any obligations made by him.

WALLING, KINMAN & MARVIN,  
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,  
acting directly upon the blood and mucous  
surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent  
free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all  
Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Not Well Taken.

"Maria, for heaven's sake please let  
me get in a word edgewise!"

"Well, what do you want to say?"

"If you insist on our having more  
milk and better milk I may as well buy  
a cow—"

"Now, John, you know that's not  
trying to get a word in edgewise.  
You're trying to lug it in by the horns."

## Quick Repairs.

Siam has electricity, says the Cal-  
cutta Times, and the thoughtful man-  
ufacturers of it have provided to the  
best of their ability for every conceiv-  
able accident. For instance, when the  
lights go out the remedy is to follow  
the directions on this notice:

Bangkok.  
Sir—For the case that your electric  
light should fail we beg to send you  
inclosed a postcard, which please send  
us at once when you find your light  
out. The company will then send you  
another postcard. Yours truly,  
MANAGER SIAM ELECTRICITY  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

## No Harm Done.

"We've been having a regular clear-  
ance at home," explained Mr. X. at  
the office, "throwing all sorts of old  
things away. I put one of my wed-  
ding presents on the fire this morn-  
ing."

"Did you really?" asked a horrified  
colleague. "What was it?"

"A copper kettle," replied X.—Lon-  
don Mail.

## WHEN DINNER COMES

One Ought to Have a Good Appetite.

A good appetite is the best sauce. It  
goes a long way toward helping in  
the digestive process, and that is absol-  
utely essential to health and strength.

Many persons have found that Grape-  
Nuts food is not only nourishing but  
is a great appetizer. Even children  
like the taste of it and grow strong  
and rosy from its use.

It is especially the food to make a  
weak stomach strong and create an  
appetite for dinner.

"I am 57 years old," writes a Tenn.  
grandmother, "and have had a weak  
stomach from childhood. By great  
care as to my diet I enjoyed a reason-  
able degree of health, but never found  
anything to equal Grape-Nuts as a  
standby."

"When I have no appetite for break-  
fast



## HAZING THE OFFICE BOY.

## How the New Lad Is Broken Into His Job.

The latest lad to be employed in a big office is often the butt of jokes by the more experienced employees. The first day he may be sent by one of the older office boys to get the key to the red ink bottle from the head book-keeper. This individual has a pre-natal grudge that develops into near Tommy retreats in bewilderment and the older boy says:

"You ought to waited until he was done figuring. You butted in on him."

Later in the day Tommy is asked to find the paper stretcher, quick! for Mr. Jones' stenographer. He searches all the closets in the office under the direction of the other boys, but cannot find the missing machine. He begins to feel himself unsuited to a business career. After lunch he may be supplied with a small package of bread crumbs and sent up to the roof of the skyscraper to feed the eagles.

It Tommy sets out to learn the printing business he will be taken in hand with enthusiasm. If the printer is in a building that is the home of a number of similar establishments Tommy may spend a day or so traveling from floor to floor in search of some borrowed instrument, such as a shooting stick, which appears to have been lent from compositor to pressman, and from pressman to electrotypist, till it has been through the hands of every man in the building.

If he begins work in a machine shop one of the first tools he hears about is the left-handed monkey wrench. When he asks for it a foreman will give him a steel casting about fifty pounds in weight that must be carried across the yard, through the foundry and over the bridge to the foreman of the pattern shop. Another tool is the glass hammer used for driving rubber tacks. Tommy may also be required to get a package of these tacks from the storekeeper. Or he will take a bucket and vainly try in the boiler room to get it filled with steam. Then he may try to find out who last saw the handle of the smoke press. Or he may ask the boss carpenter to draw the teeth of a saw that he receives from one of the construction gang.

If Tommy wants to be an electrical wizard and to learn the uses of the electric current, or "juice," he will get a job in a factory where electrical machinery is designed and built. Here he may be called upon to ask the most dignified member of the engineering department for an ohm sifter. He will also carry from one end of the plant to the other a heavy box said to be filled with round volts, only to learn that it should have been filled with square volts. One of the electricians in the testing room may need a pail of juice for testing a transformer, and Tommy will have to go to the powerhouse for it. It may fall to his lot also to be the messenger who tries to borrow from a neighboring plant the fly-wheel of its Corliss engine. Thus the innocent new boy is broken into his job.

## College Girl's Ancestor.

"The late William Bristol," said a Rochester lawyer, "was one of the founders of the Republican party. Mr. Bristol at 88 was a mine of history. He had a keen sense of humor, too. Once I asked him if he didn't marvel at the changes brought about by modern times—at the glorious college girl, for instance, with her swimming and jumping and basket ball and other athletic attainments. He said that the athletic girl wasn't a novelty. She was a recrudescence. He said that in his youth when a young fellow asked to marry a farmer's daughter the farmer would pat the brown cheek of his broad-shouldered, six-foot girl, and say gently:

"It ain't everybody I'd trust my little wood violet with. But, thar, thar, take her, Bill. But ye must'ke good keer of her. She's been raised kinder tender. Three acres a day, recollect, is all I ever ask my little birdie to plow, and an acre of corn a day is all she's used to boein'. She kin do light work, sich is diggin' post holes and killin' hogs, but she ain't used to reg'lar farm work, and you mustn't expect too much of her. It's hard for her old pappy to give his little sunshine up. He'll have to split his own wood and dig his own taters now."

## Immortals.

"Lewis Nixon, the famous shipbuilder, was praising," said a Chicagoan, "the healthfulness of Marienbad, where, as you know, King Edward entertained him at lunch. Mr. Nixon said that he remarked one day to a hotel man on the great number of very aged Marienbad natives.

"That," he said, "speaks very well for the healthfulness of your climate."

"Yes, doesn't it?" said the hotel man. "It's so healthy here that most of us Marienbad people will have to be shot, I guess, when judgment day comes."

## Slogans.

"Look here," said the constituent, "are you going to make any more anti-trust speeches?"

"I may consider it my duty to do so."

"Maybe it is. But there's something wrong with the combination. Every time you say 'Down with the trusts' some trust says 'Up with the price,' and makes it go through."—Washington Star.

## BELIEVE IN YOURSELF.

## The Way to Get Along in Life Is to Get to Work and Keep at It.

One of the greatest financiers in the United States gives the following splendid advice to young men:

"Don't be a pessimist. Believe in yourself and your country. We are entering upon an era of development and prosperity unparalleled in the history of the world. The young man who realizes this fact is the young man who will succeed. This country is all right. There are a lot of fellows, soreheads and incompetents, standing around the street corners trying to fight nature. But they can't keep this country back.

"The resources of this great land have only been scratched. The next 50 years will see wonders in the way of development that even we do not dream of. That's why I say to you young men, don't be pessimistic. Get into the fight and do a man's part. There never were so many opportunities as there are to-day. You hear a heap of fool talk about there being no chances for young men to-day. The 'trusts' have invaded and pre-empted every field of endeavor—that is the cry on every hand. Nothing is further from the truth. The trusts, so-called, have barely touched the resources that lie waiting for someone to develop. Better chances 40 years ago? Nonsense. Believe in yourself. Have something definite to do, and do it. That's all there is to success in life.

"I believe that a man should have decided his vocation in life and settled down to it in dead earnest by the time he is 30 years of age. The great trouble with our boys is that they don't like work. They like to sit on a high stool, wear a high collar, and ogle the girls. The way to get along is to go to work. And by that I mean to go to work with your hands. No man ever learned a business in the office. What does the president of a railroad do with his son? Does he get him a job in the office? Not much. The boy goes into the shop and learns how to do things worth while. Then after he has shown that his hands will support his head—that is, to feed him—he is given a chance to show that his head can support his hands."

## RED TAPE IN INDIA.

## Supreme Government Adjusts Case of Missing Senior Cat.

There is nothing quite so good for the average soldier as the frequently condemned military "red tape." He may swear about and argue mightily concerning its uselessness, but just the same he admires it secretly, knowing that it is excellent for men to be compelled to respect a silent force as powerful and dignified as this is.

"Red tape" is a serious matter, indeed, but the observance of its "code" to the very letter probably never was more complete than in the case of a native officer in India.

This babu, who was in charge of the documents of a certain town, found that they were being seriously damaged by rats. He wrote to the government to provide him with weekly rations for two cats to destroy the rats.

The request was granted, and the two cats were installed—one, the larger of the two, receiving slightly better rations than the other.

All went well for a few weeks, when the supreme government of India received the following dispatch:

"I have the honor to inform you that the senior cat is absent without leave. What shall I do?"

The problem seemed to baffle the supreme government for the babu received no answer.

After waiting a few days he sent off a proposal:

"In re Absentee Cat, I propose to promote the junior cat, and in the meantime to take into government service a probationer cat on full rations."

The supreme government expressed its approval of the scheme and things once more ran smoothly in that department.

## He Knew Women.

Capt. J. F. Chase of Veteran City, Fla., was in Washington last month, to register his 47th airship patent. Capt. Chase is best known as the inventor of the hoop-skirt.

"Discussing the hoop-skirt's remarkable success, Capt. Chase said to a reporter:

"The success was due to the skirt's strangeness. Women like strange things. By catering to women, by studying their taste, a man can twist them round his fingers."

The veteran officer smiled.

"Ballantine," he said, "came in late to a song recital in Palm Beach, and there wasn't a vacant seat in the house. Ballantine noticed Mrs. Jerome Blank. Mrs. Jerome Blank, he knew, had a very handsome husband that she kept a strict watch over—she didn't like him to associate with any of the fair sex. Ballantine, edging near to Mrs. Blank, who had an excellent seat, said in a loud voice to a friend:

"Who was that uncommonly pretty girl I saw Jerome Blank talking to on the pier?"

"In about four seconds Mrs. Blank was gone and Ballantine was settled comfortably in her chair."

## More than Likely.

"What will happen when women vote?"

"Among other things, all the millinery stores will want to be polling places, I s'pose."—Kansas City Journal.

## TRANSPLANTING THE LAPPS.

## An Enterprise Which, It Is Hoped, Will Give Race New Life.

A commencement has been made in a most remarkable enterprise, one that has long engaged the attention of men of learning—namely, the transplanting of the Lapps from Lapland, where they are rapidly becoming what might be called a dying race, to Labrador, where it is hoped they will flourish and increase. Whether these hopes will be justified or not remains to be seen. Similar experiments in the past have seldom been wholly successful, and some have resulted disastrously.

The Doukhobors, for instance, who in 1899 were transplanted to the number of 8,000 or 9,000 from their homes in southern Russia to the Canadian Northwest, were for a time in dire straits. They also behaved erratically, marching naked through the snow and abandoning their flocks and herds to the wolves. They are now, however, settled down into good citizens.

On the other hand the attempt made some eight years ago to transplant the Roskolniks of the Don country to a new home that was supposed to have been found for them in eastern Turkistan resulted in one of the most ghastly tragedies.

The huge caravan lost its way in the desert and was never heard of again, the probability being that hunger and thirst, with the attacks of nomad robbers, were responsible for the deaths of the entire party.

Equally dreadful was the fate that befell the 10,000 Jutlanders transplanted to the east coast of Greenland by Queen Margaret of Sweden. At first they flourished exceedingly. Villages were founded, churches and schools were built and a bishop was appointed.

Then one year the ice pack broke loose from the remote northern seas and came to a standstill along the coast opposite the settlements in a belt fifty miles broad.

All communication with the open sea were thus cut off. The settlers were unable to obtain supplies, and in the end they perished down to the very last man.

## ENTAILING ESTATES.

## How a Prohibition Is Evaded by Some Millionaires.

Some rather interesting speculations have been made as to the possibilities under the growing practice of selecting the youngest baby in families of millionaires as the heir. By such practice, it is asserted, the prohibitions against entailed estates are, at least partially, set at defiance.

Under our laws a testator may select his heir, but he cannot entail his estate, nor can he determine how that heir shall devise it. But, the beneficiary of the will being a minor, the testator may establish a trust which shall endure for "a life or lives in being and 21 years thereafter." Therefore, if a babe, say 1 year old, is selected as the heir and a trust is established under strict instructions, an estate may be held intact, in the outlook, for nearly a century.

It is pointed out that \$1,000,000 preserved intact for a lifetime would naturally increase enormously. The estate of Marshall Field of \$40,000,000, held in trust for two beneficiaries, who are yet young, is taken as an instance to point out that in 40 years, under the terms of the trust, it will amount to more than a billion. It is also shown that the Astor estate, practically held intact since 1840, is now approaching the billion mark. The speculation is made that if John D. Rockefeller were to put his millions into trust for 50 years, for his youngest grandchild as his heir, at the time of its expiration there would not be enough cash in the world to pay for that child's possessions.

Of course, the practice is an evasion of the intent of law, if it is not of its letter. The universal adoption of the practice would in the time of men already grown to manhood create an aristocracy of wealth of which now we have no knowledge. Our reliance on the second and third generations to diffuse accumulated wealth would be something forgotten.

## Her Recollection.

There are many darkies of the old sort in the South who make it a point to pride themselves upon their remarkable memory touching remote events and persons long since dead.

To one such a Richmond man was putting a series of questions in a spirit of banter. To his query as to whether she remembered George Washington the old woman replied that she did, indeed, having served Martha Washington in a domestic capacity.

Then was put an interrogation concerning the revolutionary war, which the old woman recalled perfectly.

Finally the questioner said: "I'll wager you don't remember the fall of the Roman empire."

At this the old woman took a good long breath and reflected. Then she replied:

"De fac' is, sah, I was pretty young den, an' so I doesn't have no very distinct remembrance 'bout dat. But I does remember, now dat you speaks of it, dat I did heah de white folks tell 'bout hearin' somethin' drap."

## His Suspicion.

"Why did that picture cost so much?"

"Well," answered Mr. Cumrox, "to tell you the truth, I have an idea it's because the dealer who sold it to me is a good business man."—Washington Evening Star.

## A QUIANT HOPI CUSTOM.

## Matrimonially Inclined the Maiden Utters the Courtship Cry.

One of the quaintest and most beautiful customs among the Hopi Indians is that of courtship, when all marriageable girls announce to the world that they are thinking seriously of matrimony. The Hopi Indians live in the heart of the Painted Desert in Arizona and are descendants of the ancient Cliff Dwellers. Their method of courtship is in accordance with the ancient tribal custom by which man was not allowed to propose, it being the right of the woman to select her mate.

In Hopiland the night is the time selected for this announcement. And it is always the same. When the village is wrapped in slumber a plaintive cry is heard, a long, low sustained note uttered at intervals of a few seconds. No words are used and the sound never varies, the note being only slightly modulated. Could we look into the room whence issues the plaintive voice, we should see a young girl bending over the meal stones and grinding corn into meal, working the head stone up and down in perfect rhythm. As she works, she sings, and when she rests the song ceases, to be taken up again the moment she begins to grind.

The effect of this mournful song wafted on the still night air is strangely said and impressive, and one would be much puzzled as to its meaning unless familiar with the time honored custom. Strange to say, there is no demonstration at this time by the young men. However, their blanketed figures flit by in the shadow of the houses, but not even for a single moment do they reveal their presence by voice, or step out in the moonlight so as to disclose their identity.

After the Hopi maiden has thus announced that she is looking for a husband and has settled upon some young man outside of her clan, she begins, by a series of artful maneuvers, to show her inclination toward the youth, and this pretty play is so skilfully carried on that in all her courting she never oversteps the bounds of modesty or loses an atom of her womanly dignity.

## INSURANCE IN GERMANY.

## Even Children Who Work Out of School Hours Insure Their Health.

In less than 30 years insurance has become a part of the warp of German life, says a writer in Harper's Magazine. Twelve million people have sickness insurance; 14,000,000 are insured against invalidism and old age; 19,000,000 against accident. When a boy begins his apprenticeship at 16, he begins his insurance. Even children under age who work for wages out of school hours are required to insure for invalidism and old age. The men in labor colonies must be insured, and prisoners hired out by the state. In every factory one meets it; in every tenement. It has been estimated that, counting with the insured their families, who are also protected by the insurance, one-half the population of the empire is reached by this vast imperial backing of peace.

Germany is developing very fast industrially. The average wage of a laborer was 30 cents a day 20 years ago; it is now 60 or 75 cents, and the cost of living has risen correspondingly. In reality far more. Sickness pensions are reckoned in general at one-half the wages of the class of labor under consideration, and the pension in the lowest class is thus set under the present law at 15 cents a day—an income upon which to live in any industrial town in modern Germany, however small, is only words, words, words. One could laugh sometimes at the involutions of this vast official comedy; one could laugh if that were not so near which chills laughter. The acts are promptly and surely executed when a pensioner's claim is established, but the official supposition in Germany is always that you are wrong; you must prove that you are right; innumerable precautions are taken to guard against the practice of fraud; a sick man may spend months completing the formalities of his claim.

## Wicked Gotham.

"Robert Brodnax Glenn, ex-Governor of North Carolina, denounced at Chautauqua the wickedness of New York," said a Presbyterian minister of Raleigh.

The minister smiled slightly. "This denunciation didn't surprise me," he said. "I have been associated with Dr. Glenn in church work for many years. New York's wickedness has always shocked him. I pointed out to Dr. Glenn one day a remarkable newspaper paragraph.

"'Look here,' I said, 'here is an account of a New York man struck down by lightning while he was swearing. Remarkable, isn't it?'"

"My dear doctor," said Gov. Glenn, solemnly, "if lightning were to strike down a New York man when he wasn't swearing, it would be much more remarkable."

## It Hurt.

John R. Bradley, the backer of Dr. Cook, was discussing in New York a scientist's doubts about Dr. Cook's discovery of the pole.

"I don't mind his doubts," said Bradley, "so much as I mind his nasty way of expressing them. I feel like the elderly spinster, fresh from the witness box, who whispered to a friend:

"I didn't mind his asking me my age, but what really hurt me was his introducing the question by saying that he hoped a reference to my age would not be distasteful to me."

## THINGS WORTH KNOWING.

Fast freight line service of this country uses 32,000 cars.

At last reports there were 61,158 postoffices in this country.

The Turkish turban contains about twenty yards of material.

One town in Spain has one hunchback to every thirteen inhabitants.

The flour mills of Minneapolis grind 20,000,000 bushels of wheat every year.

During the year 1908 the 544,935 acres under tea in India produced 246,722,551 pounds.

Austria is the country most lenient to murderers. A very small percentage of those convicted are executed.

In eighteenth-century England the fashionable woman's head dress often had to be left untouched for weeks at a time.

Mrs. Russell Sage gave \$50,000 to Syracuse University on her last birthday. The money is to be used as an endowment fund for the teachers' college.

Italy levies a graduated income tax as well as a direct tax on land and houses. Small incomes are exempt from taxation. The minister of finance estimates that the income tax for this year will amount to about \$49,600,000, while the land tax will bring in \$36,000,000.

The patent office is some \$7,000,000 ahead on revenue from patents, nearly \$1,000,000 last year alone. Considering the measureless, multiplied millions of blessings and dollars from inventions, and considering the silent tragedy and despair of poor inventors, this seems like seething the lamb in its own mother's milk.

## ELECTRIC FLASHES.

In a short time all the branch line railroads of Japan will be electrified.

Norway boasts of the first electric smelting plant in the world to produce pig iron.

The Sterling Electric Company of Sterling, Col., produces both ice and electricity.

Mexico is covered with a network of telegraph lines which are controlled by the government.

During the past year the Niagara Falls hydro-electric plant saved the equivalent of more than a million tons of coal.

A submarine telephone is to be laid across the English Channel to afford better communication between London and Paris.

Improvements to the various plants of the General Electric Company will amount to several hundred thousand dollars during the current year.

It takes more than fifteen million miles of single wire for the people of this country to communicate with one another over the telephone and telegraph. Thirteen million miles of this wire are used for telephoning and the total length of all the wire would circle the earth at the equator six hundred times.

The new sixty-inch universal plate mill at the Gary plant will soon be in operation, contracts having been let to the General Electric Company for the driving motors for this and the twenty-six-inch axle mill. The plate mill motor will be the largest ever built, being capable of producing 6,500 horse-power.

## DANGEROUS TO YOUR LUNGS.

Meals at irregular hours.

Dusty occupations generally.

All forms of dissipation and excess.

Exposure to dust containing germs.

Unwholesome and improperly cooked food.

Loss of sleep, worry and confinement.

Drinking excessive amounts of alcoholic liquor.

Working or living in a dusty or vitiated atmosphere.

Exposure to extreme heat, noxious fumes, injurious dust, dampness.

## A Unique Summer Resort.

Squirrel Island, Maine, is the one place where everybody is put on his good behavior. It is a colony of cottagers in summer. There is no policeman, no justice of the peace, no officer of any kind. The only government is that by a Board of Overseers who own the cottages in which they live during the summer months. No one is permitted to carry a gun or a weapon of any sort, and such a thing as a firecracker was never seen there. The island closes up about the middle of September and from that time until the next summer there is only one person there. He is a watchman who has charge of the cottages and is an old sailor. The little gem is only about a mile and a half long and less than half a mile at its widest point. Its population between June 1 and the time of the exodus is nearly 1,000.

## An Arkansas Peach Orchard.

Arkansas claims to have the largest peach orchard in the world, and it took 1,000 men with 300 teams to harvest this summer's crop. The orchard is in Sevier county and has 200,000 trees. It covers 2,800 acres and trees on 2,000 acres are bearing. Five hundred freight cars were necessary to haul this immense crop to market. The peach crop in most of the states that produce that fruit was good this year, but the State of Arkansas lays it over everything in the peach line.

## ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

Once a candidate, generally a candidate.

If you have a lot of poetry notions, get rid of them.

The trouble is all of us have such a lot of fool habits.

Every man believes his business is the most monotonous.

If you want to take a prize for unpopularity, act superior.

Men always think that you women devote too much time to shopping.

Show less indignation behind the backs of people, and be bolder to their faces.

There is one fortunate thing about mistakes; many of them are easily corrected.

It is hard to tell which is the more worthless business, prospecting, or working on inventions.

Of course women are not mercenary, but gambling seems a greater sin to them when you lose.

Fat men are lazy, but you can't help admitting that there is something likable about them.

If people were as afraid of hurting their stomachs as they are of catching cold, they would live longer.

When a mother shows her baby's picture she always says: "The baby moved, or the picture would have been better."

Two brakemen were arguing to-day, and one of them said to the other: "I don't believe that. Produce your Eskimos."

We always feel sorry for a dog that doesn't belong to a boy; he somehow reminds us of a man who belongs to a woman.

A boy was being plagued for driving about with his girl behind the old family nag. "Well," he said, "speed ain't no object."

We all have more good luck than bad; if we didn't, most men would have legs or arms cut off, or be in the penitentiary.

## PROGRESS OF THE DAY.

One ton of apples will usually yield 150 gallons of cider.

The United Kingdom manufactures 260,000 tons of soap yearly.

America leads the world in the production of resin and turpentine.

Great Britain's exportation of socks and stockings last year was 698,715 dozen pairs.

London annually makes use of 4,000,000 umbrellas, one-fourth of which are imported.

A Chinaman rescued from drowning is compelled to support his rescuer for the rest of his life.

Farming in some parts of Nigeria has been rendered unprofitable by the raids of baboons.

There is one mill in Minneapolis that turns out between 17,000 and 18,000 barrels of flour each day.

During the first seven months of this year over 70,000 people left the United Kingdom for British North America.

The new terminal station of the Pennsylvania Railroad in New York has 16 miles of tracks, including 21 standing stations.

The installation of a wireless telegraph apparatus is illegal in England without the consent of the postoffice department.

## WORDS OF GREAT MEN.

Every evil to which we do not succumb is a benefactor.—Emerson.

You will find life full of sweet savour if you do not expect from it what it cannot give.—Renan.

If you will be governed by reason, and be true to the best of yourself, you will be happy.—Marcus Aurelius.

Nobody does anything well that they cannot help doing; work is only well done when it is done with a will.—Ruskin.

It is not possible to secure distant or permanent happiness but by the forbearance of some immediate gratification.—Johnson.

I believe that we cannot live better than in seeking to become better, nor more agreeably than by having a clear conscience.—Socrates.

Let no man turn aside ever so slightly from the broad path of honor on the plausible pretense that he is justified by the goodness of his end.—Dickens.

## SPLINTERS.

It is better to go slow than to jump the track.

Best manners, like best clothes, are only worn in company.

A man that talks to himself cannot be accused of gossiping.

Boyce—Who were the speakers at the ladies' banquet? Joyce—Everybody.

The man who thinks that he owns the earth rarely ever pays tax for even a building lot.

Bobbs—Is Smith near-sighted? Dobbs—You always see him on the front row.



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It is generally understood that John W. Dyer, of Hammond, is to succeed Judge A. O. Marsh as Indiana pension agent. Mr. Dyer is an old soldier and is engaged in the banking business. He was a candidate for state treasurer a few years ago. Judge Marsh has made a fine record as pension agent and during the eight years he has held the office has paid to old soldiers about \$100,000,000.

COLUMBUS people are making great preparations for the Lincoln League meeting next Saturday. Advice from there indicate that a big crowd is looked for. Quite a good many Seymour people have indicated their intention to go. Several will dig up the required dollar and attend the banquet Saturday evening, beginning at 5:30. Banquet tickets can be secured of Judge John M. Lewis or at the REPUBLICAN office.

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## THE PRESIDENT TO KEEP QUIET

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## DEPENDS ON SILENT INFLUENCE

The Mere Indorsement of the Executive, Together With the Warm Approval of the President's Legal Advisers Is Expected to Carry Weight With Congress When That Body Comes to Consider the Federal Incorporation Measure—A Row in the Senate Over the Question of Which Committee Shall Have Charge of the Bill.

Washington, Feb. 8.—President Taft does not intend to add the federal incorporation bill to the legislative program which has been outlined frequently of late, although the president and the administration would be glad to see the measure become a law at this session of congress. The president made it known to visitors that he had no idea of forcing the federal charter plan down the throats of the congressional leaders. He made it known that the bill was drawn by the best legal minds in the government service, that he had looked it over carefully and indorsed it in every detail. It is up to congress to act upon it. The president hopes, he informed his callers, that congress will see fit to pass the bill. He believes that it is the only logical solution of a problem confronting not only the government, which desires to control giant combinations, but confronting those corporations as well. He realizes the measure will meet with opposition.

As to its constitutionality, which the administration seemed to think would be questioned, the president, himself a lawyer and a judge, entertains no doubt. Prominent business interests, the president told those who saw him, have objected to the bill because it gives the government too close control over the corporations. Those who have voiced objection to the federal incorporation plan include George W. Perkins and Frank A. Vanderlip. Mr. Perkins on leaving the White House said that the bill was acceptable, but according to those who talked with Mr. Taft, he did not express so much love for it when he spoke with the chief executive.

Administration visitors, on the other hand, maintained consistently that the federal charter will give the corporations the safe harbor they desire, but will not give them immunity from prosecution where justified. The fact that there has been no provision for immunity, Mr. Taft declared to friends, was one objection raised by corporations. The administration does not wish to give immunity for past offenses nor for future wrongdoing, but it does desire to protect legitimate business and to safeguard the interests of the public as well. While the president, unwilling as he is to force the bill on congress at present, did not express great faith that it could pass at this session of congress, he did show that he does not feel that it is so unkindly regarded as it was a few weeks ago.

At the department of justice the feeling is a bit more optimistic than it seems to be at the White House. According to a high authority there, people are beginning to see that the federal charter is not an instrument of torture which a trust-busting administration wishes to introduce, but that it is a safe and sane plan under which legitimate combinations may exist and thrive. The same sentiment of hostility to the bill on the part of many people has been noticed by authorities there as had reached the ears of Mr. Taft, but within the last few weeks sentiment, it was said, seems to have changed quite noticeably.

One small row over the bill occurred in the senate. Senator Clarke of Wyoming, who introduced the measure on that side of the capitol, wanted to have it referred to his committee, that of the judiciary. Senator Newlands of Nevada objected and said that it should be given to the committee on interstate commerce. The objection of Senator Newlands was made before the bill was read the second time, and he asked that it lie on the table until he can bring up his motion to have it given to the interstate commerce committee. A warm debate is expected when the motion of Senator Newlands comes up.

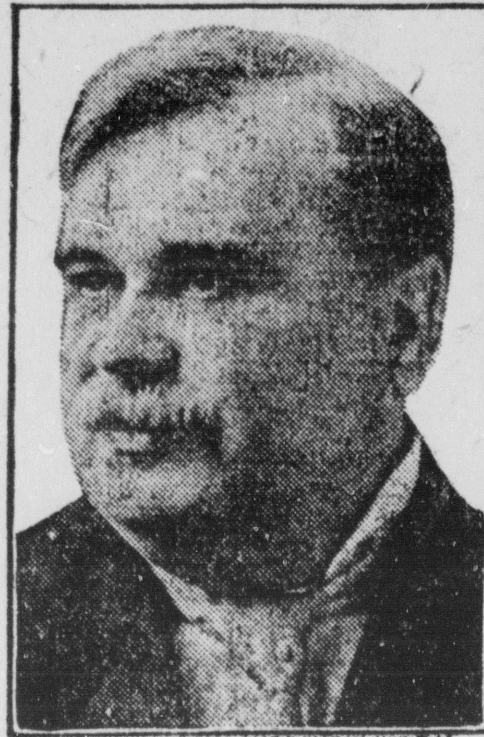
## UNDER CHURCH'S BAN

John L. Sullivan Had to Go to 'Squire to Be Married.

Boston, Feb. 8.—John L. Sullivan, the former heavyweight champion pugilist of the world, was married here yesterday to Miss Katherine Hartnett. She is about Sullivan's age and is reported to own considerable real estate. The couple have long been friends.

The ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace. Archbishop O'Connell refused to grant a dispensation because Sullivan divorced his wife, who now resides in Rhode Island. After the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan boarded the steamship Ionia, which sailed for England this morning.

## MAGOON'S DOCTORS TELL HIM TO AVOID TROPICS



CHARLES E. MAGOON.

Former civil governor of Cuba, who, when offered further tropical service and a nice berth in the Philippines, declined on physician's advice, thus opening a place for Indiana's former lieutenant governor.

## MAGOON COULDN'T ACCEPT POSITION

Therefore An Indiana Man Came  
In for Nice Job.

Washington, Feb. 8.—President Taft has nominated Newton W. Gilbert of Indiana as vice governor of the Philippine Islands. Mr. Gilbert will continue as secretary of public instruction and Charles B. Elliott of Minnesota, appointed June 3, 1909, as associate justice of the supreme court of the Philippines as a member of the Philippine commission and secretary of commerce and police. The president first tendered to Charles W. Magoon of Nebraska, formerly provisional governor of Cuba, the position of vice governor of the Philippine Islands and secretary of the department of commerce and police, made vacant by the advancement of Governor General Forbes from that secretaryship to the governor generalcy. Governor Magoon declined on his doctor's advice that he ought to remain in the United States for two years after his long tropical service.

## MAY ESCAPE PROSECUTION

Jennings and Griffin Give State's Evidence in Pittsburg Graft Hearing.

Pittsburg, Feb. 8.—The February grand jury yesterday took up the latest graft cases in Pittsburg and rushed through indictments of Delinquent Tax Collector Max G. Leslie; President Edward R. Jennings of the Columbia National bank of Pittsburg; Frank A. Griffin, former cashier of the same bank; Frank F. Nicola, a rich business man, and Charles Stewart, former Pittsburg councilman. Nine counts in all were found against the men. Jennings and Griffin, who turned state's evidence at the preliminary hearing, gave evidence for the state yesterday and were the only witnesses examined. It is understood that they will not be prosecuted.

## Caught at a Grade Crossing.

Lagrange, Ind., Feb. 8.—Vern Disbro, aged twenty-four, a coal driver, was instantly killed by a Grand Rapids & Indiana freight train at a grade crossing in this city. He is survived by a widow and two small children.

The National Conservation association, of which Gifford Pinchot is president, intends to take an active interest in politics in order to obtain the proper legislation for the conservation of the natural resources of the country.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices For Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.18; No. 2 red, \$1.20. Corn—No. 2, 61c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 46c. Hay—Baled, \$14.50 @ 15.50; timothy, \$14.00 @ 15.50; mixed, \$13.00 @ 15.00. Cattle—\$3.00 @ 7.00. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 8.80. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 5.00. Lambs—\$5.00 @ 8.50. Receipts—1,500 hogs; 850 cattle; 50 sheep.

At Cincinnati.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.28. Corn—No. 2, 62c. Oats—No. 2, 48½c. Cattle—\$2.50 @ 6.50. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.85. Sheep—\$2.00 @ 4.50. Lambs—\$3.00 @ 8.50.

At Chicago.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.23. Corn—No. 2, 65½c. Oats—No. 2, 46½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00 @ 7.65; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.45. Hogs—\$5.50 @ 8.70. Sheep—\$2.50 @ 6.45. Lambs—\$5.50 @ 8.80.

At St. Louis.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.27. Corn—No. 2, 63c. Oats—No. 2, 46c. Cattle—Steers, \$6.75 @ 7.85. Hogs—\$6.75 @ 8.60. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 6.00. Lambs—\$4.50 @ 8.50.

At East Buffalo.  
Cattle—\$4.25 @ 6.75. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 9.05. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 7.00. Lambs—\$5.50 @ 9.00.

Wheat at Toledo.  
May, \$1.22; July, \$1.04½; cash, \$1.22½.

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	MAX	MIN
February 8, 1910.	41	31

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### PERSONAL.

Collin Sawyer was in the city this morning.

Dr. Sims was over from Kurtz today on business.

H. W. O'Neal was here from Hope Monday evening.

Noble Hays was here from Scottsburg Monday evening.

H. G. Hayden was here from Rushville this morning.

J. B. Cross was here from Brownstown this morning.

Thos. M. Honan was a passenger to Brownstown Monday.

H. O. Hill, of Orleans, was in this city Monday evening.

Daniel George, of Crothersville, was in the city Monday.

William H. Mobley, of Hartsville, was in the city Monday.

Henry Rosemeyer was a passenger to Cortland this morning.

Miss Mary Hamilton was here from Brownstown this morning.

O. M. Gardner, of Bedford, was in this city Monday evening.

C. F. Williams, of Madison, was in this city Monday evening.

Mark Williams made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.

Clyde J. Roach was here from Indianapolis Monday on business.

H. A. Waterman, of Wapamaker, was in this city Monday on business.

S. O. Smith, of N. Ewing street, was a passenger to Azalia this morning.

Alex Davison went to his farm near Scipio this morning to look after some business.

Thomas Casey, of Indianapolis, is here to attend the Holderman-Casey wedding.

John Casey of St. Louis, is here to attend the Holderman-Casey wedding this evening.

Miss Mayme Wilson, is spending a few days at Indianapolis, in Griffiths wholesale house.

Herman Buening, liveryman at Brownstown, was in the city this morning on business.

Harry McColgin, of the I. & L. Traction Company went to Indianapolis on business Monday.

Miss Minnie Hustedt went to Indianapolis this morning to spend a few days at the wholesale house.

Dr. W. O. Goodloe was here from Scottsburg today, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. D. Billings.

Mrs. A. W. Mills and daughter, Mrs. Price Matlock, were passengers to Indianapolis this morning.

B. F. Swain, of the D'Heur-Swain Lumber Company, was here from Shelbyville Monday on business.

William H. Wente was here from Indianapolis Monday on business with the Albrand Carriage Company.

Miss Clara Stegemiller has returned to her home at Alma, Mo., after spending several months here with friends.

Miss May Swengel, the efficient clerk in Mr. Marsh's general store at West Reddington, was in the city this morning.

D. N. McNamara, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago & Alton, was in the city Monday, and went to Bedford.

Estel Hancock transacted business at Scottsburg yesterday and went to Scottsburg today for the remainder of this week.

Andrew Van Jelgerhoisen was here from Southport Monday afternoon on business with the Ahlbrand Carriage Company.

Miss Hazel Pruden, of Cortland, was in the city this morning en route home from a visit with friends at Brownstown.

Mrs. William Stewart returned to her home at Deputy this morning after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Lavina Johnson.

Samuel B. Wells, of Scottsburg, editor of the Scott County Journal, was in this city a short time this morning en route to North Vernon.

Herman Lange, who travels out of Zanesville, O., stopped off here Sunday to spend the day with his brother, Prof. Harry Lange, and family.

Emmett Littleton, advance manager of the Amsden Stock Company, and formerly with the Guy Stock Company, was in the city this morning en route to Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ross and son returned home Monday from spending several days with relatives at Cincinnati. Mr. Ross has been in poor health for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Asebaugh, of Anderson, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rooney for several days, are visiting friends in St. Louis for a few days.

Mrs. Bert Riley, returned to her home at Indianapolis Monday afternoon after a visit of several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hjmler, of S. Carter street.

Mrs. Sarah J. Colvin is here from Scottsburg spending a few days with her son, John Colvin, and other relatives. She will go to Indianapolis Saturday for a short visit before returning home.

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### No Contract Let.

After considering all the bids presented for the removal of ashes and garbage the board of public works decided not to let the contract upon the bids submitted, and to readvertise for other bids. Some of the bids submitted covered only the removal of garbage while others were based upon the removal of both garbage and ashes. February 21 has been set as the date for receiving bids.

## FARMER'S WIFE HAD HEAP TO DO

Mrs. Shepherd Was in Bad Shape When She Could Not Stand on Her Feet.

Durham, N. C.—"I am a farmer's wife," writes Mrs. J. M. Shepherd, of this city, "and have a heap to do."

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### Police Court.

John Williams was arrested Monday evening upon the charge of drunkenness, the affidavit being made by his wife, Martha Williams. He pleaded guilty as charged and was fined \$5 and costs amounting to \$15.50. Williams stated that the whiskey was purchased by a friend, who had secured a prescription from a physician. He said the friend had given him the whiskey.

### Pictures Explained.

The prize fight picture at the Majestic tonight will be lectured, thus giving a better insight into the features of the great fight.



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## 'Varmints' All Gone.

3,000 Mountain Lions Killed Off In California.

Three thousand mountain lions slain in California in two years explains the plentifulness of deer this season, according to County Game Warden Morgan, just back from a vacation on his ranch at Rosamond, Kern county.

There Morgan bearded the lion in his den but failed to get it, though the animals abound in that wild vicinity.

Venison has been more abundant in Los Angeles this season than in twenty years, the veriest tyro among hunters coming back to the city with one or two bucks after short trips into the mountains. Persons who never tasted deer meat have had it on their table, and they have wondered why they could never get it before.

Morgan has the solution, and he has figures to prove his case.

While humans may hunt deer for but a few months in the year, the mountain lion is obliged to respect no season. It hunts every month, and it slays does as well as bucks. Sportsmen estimate that an active mountain lion kills and devours an average of twenty-five deer in twelve months.

Thus, by the killing of 3,000 of the "varmints," the lives of at least 75,000 deer have been preserved in the last two years for the men with the guns and ability to use them. This does not take into account the natural increase in the lion family, which would have amounted to possibly 3,000 more.

Little interest was taken in the killing of the lions until the State Fish and Game Commission, realizing the need for greater protection of deer and other game, offered a bounty of \$20 for each mountain lion killed. This is not a State law; simply an action on the part of the commission, which has at its disposal the money collected on hunting licenses and obtained from other sources.

At \$20 each, the dead lions have cost the commission \$60,000, though it is said that the bounty has not been claimed in each case. The skins of quite a number of the animals have been brought to Los Angeles, where the bounty was claimed.

Some of these animals are of great size, measuring 12 feet from tip of nose to end of tail, while 8-footers are common back in the sparsely-settled mountain districts.

Though Morgan failed to get a mountain lion, he and his party slew five wildcats, eleven coyotes, 250 jackrabbits and other pests, not to mention deer, duck, quail and miscellaneous game.

Morgan and several friends had an exciting wildcat hunt one day at a spot where two years ago C. E. Patterson, then supervisor, and James J. Jeffries slaughtered six of the beasts. The game warden and his party got five; but they missed one, and thereby hangs a tale, but not a tail.

When the cats were encountered in a group by a hunter in advance of Morgan and Fred Johnson, the man in advance blazed away and killed three—bang! bang! bang!—just like that, Morgan says. The warden, who was scrambling up a hill plugged two others; but the biggest one of the lot tore down the mountainside with-in twenty feet of Morgan, making one leap of thirty feet into a dry wash, along which Johnson was making his way.

Johnson was out for bear, or almost anything but wildcats. In a holster he carried a revolver; in his belt was an immense hunting knife, and over his shoulder was a shotgun.

The big mountain pussy, tearing toward him like a projectile from a battleship, seemed to turn Johnson's superheated hunting blood into ice-water. Turning like a man who had left his carfare at home, he raced for the camp, only a short distance, where women of the party breathlessly watched the animal as it swiftly gained on the fleeing form. Off flew Johnson's hat; his revolver popped out of his pocket and his gleaming hunting knife fell in his wake; but the wildcat kept on gaining.

Breathless and white, Johnson finally reached his camp, having turned his head not once in his flight. There he found the women convulsed, and as soon as he could sputter out an interrogation he found why.

About halfway from where he began the race and cat turned suddenly to the side and dashed into the brush, where it was lost to sight. The women saw this, knew Johnson was safe, and their fun came in viewing the scared hunter in his flight from a danger that was only imaginary.—Los Angeles Times.

### SMOKING BY MACHINE.

The Government's Method of Testing the Quality of Cigars.

Not one man in ten knows a good cigar when he gets it—if he ever does by chance—and he generally makes his selection by the color, the shape, and the smoothness of the wrapper. Very often, as a matter of fact, really excellent "smokes" are

hidden in rough wrappers, and have no particular shape, while the beautifully brown and symmetrical perfect may prove a snare and a delusion.

The government, however, now has the cigar under advisement, and is smoking many of them in order that the citizen may have accurate data to guide his selection when he feels that a weed would do him good. An attractive haze hangs about the department of agriculture, and a pleasant aroma drifts out to passersby.

As it was decided, much to the regret of the clerks in the bureau of plant industry, that no two persons would smoke a cigar in exactly the same way, nor would the same individual smoke two cigars under exactly the same conditions, it was necessary to devise some means of smoking the cigars by machinery, and yet at the same time simulate the conditions existing when the ordinary citizen does the job.

The apparatus finally constructed produces the "pull" on the cigar by means of an aspirator, which is filled by a continuous inflow of water and emptied at regular intervals by a siphon. Four cigars are placed in holders so arranged that they all lie in the same vertical plane, each two inches above, and having its horizontal arm two inches shorter than the next lower. The apparatus will smoke four cigars of the perfect type, four and seven-eighths inches in length, in about thirty minutes, a rate probably somewhat faster than that of the average smoker. The "pull" on the cigar occurs at intervals of thirty seconds and continues for a period of ten seconds.

It is for the purpose of determining what is the best combination of filler, binder, and wrapper that the government is smoking all these cigars, and it has already reached the conclusion that in order to secure a good burn due consideration should be given to the proper balancing of the components of the cigar; that is, a heavy filler should be wrapped with a comparatively heavy wrapper, while a light-bodied filler requires a light bodied wrapper. The filler exercises the strongest influence on the evenness of the burn, while the influence of the wrapper and binder is shown most strongly on the character of the ash, its color, and whether it "holds" or splits and flakes.—Emmett Campbell Hall, in Harper's Weekly.

### FORESTRY ATTRACTIVE WORK.

Supply of Good Men Not Equal to the Waiting Positions.

A young man can become a forester now just as he can become a lawyer, a minister or a doctor, except perhaps he may have to go farther to attend a professional school. More trained men are needed than the schools are turning out. The national government, with its 195,000,000 acres of national forest area, employs about 2,000 foresters, rangers, and guards, and needs a much larger force. Timber land owners, lumber companies, educational institutions, and States which are beginning to take up forestry are all seeking good men.

To be a good forester a man should combine something of the naturalist with a good deal of the business man. He must have the power of observation, a fondness for nature, and the ability to penetrate her secrets. But if he is to succeed he must also have practical judgment and the ability to handle men. A forester must combine a vigorous mind with a vigorous body. He must be of the kind that likes to get things done, and does not give up when things are not going his way. He will have to face difficulties and work out problems for himself, far from outside help, relying solely upon his own resources, supported by his own courage. He ought to be hard to whip.

The professional forester cannot hope for big fees and certain pleasant surroundings of life which crown distinguished success in some other professions. He must be content without much luxury; he will have to spend a good deal of time out of the reach of the ordinary comforts. He must be able and willing to rough it without complaint, to sleep on hard beds, sometimes with only the ground for his pillow and the sky for his blanket, eat homely fare, endure prolonged exertion, and get along well with plain people. One the other hand, if he is at all fitted for his profession, and a few weeks of actual forest work will tell him whether he is or not, he can count on a pretty sure, though a moderate, success.—Technical World.

### When Hunger Is King.

Unfeeling Nature says to all creatures: "If you would live on this earth, you must either fight, run or hide."

And it is in obedience to this last injunction that all shells are constructed. These are not notes of peace, for peace is unknown where King Hunger's mandates must be obeyed, else he will inflict untold torture, says Dr. W. H. Thomson in Everybody's Magazine.

For thirst there is lifeless water in abundance, but only what is or has been living will make food.

I heard a naval officer describe how he learned really to sympathize with the ravening wolf, when, in Greenland, he and his dogs were nearly famished until they and he savagely rushed together at the still standing moose which he had shot.

Small thought then did he have of how a gentleman should take his meal.

## Women Carriers of Italy

Transport an Extraordinary Variety of Things on Their Heads.

Burden bearing in Italy, as in most of the Old World countries, is done by the patient, obstinate and much abused donkey and the women. A man, though of the humble classes, will not carry a load of any kind if he has, or can get, a woman to do it for him.

In the interior of Italy, where the plains are, and in Venice and about the famous lake region all burdens are carried on the back, in long baskets like those used by the German peasants. These are supported on the shoulders by loops through which the arms are thrust.

In the mountainous districts of Italy, near the coast, the women carry everything imaginable on their heads, and they are straight and supple, with a wonderfully free and easy carriage. The result of carrying loads on their heads, even from childhood, is a decided contrast to the women burden bearers, who are bent or round shouldered in the regions where baskets are used.

They use a piece of woollen or cotton cloth, generally a large neckerchief, which is folded diagonally and twisted into a round, soft ball. They wind this into a round mat which they place on top of the head. On this the women carry anything from an empty basket or a large kettle of water to a sewing machine or even large pieces of furniture.

An unusual and interesting sight is a woman trudging homeward at night after a long muscle trying day's work of chopping wood or felling trees in the forest, her axe in one hand and with the other carefully balancing on her head a good sized tree, the branches of which are dragging behind her on the ground.

If you make short excursions back into the hills or mountains along the Italian coast, you will doubtless find yourself, following a narrow, rough cobbled path through an olive grove. It winds and climbs in a wholly aimless manner, but by persevering you will at last arrive at some tiny little village high up on the mountain.

All along the way you will meet the burden bearing women who every day, no matter how hot the sun may shine or how severe the storm, toil up and down these rugged paths, with all the building material required in the villages, or the needs of their own or their neighbors' daily lives, or what they sell in the nearby towns on their heads.

Not far from the frontier between France and Italy there is a little chapel which seems to have alighted like a white bird on almost the highest spur of a rocky mountain. As an act of devotion to the Madonna, whose picture hangs over the altar, a very good road on which are the stations of the cross has been constructed from the nearest hill town to the chapel.

The distance from the sea coast to the foot of the mountain is three very long and exceedingly dusty miles. Then you must ascend one of the steepest, worst cobbled winding paths that any nearby olive grove shelters. Every particle of gravel and sand of which this road is made was brought on the heads of the women and men and on the backs of their mules (and comparatively few can afford such an animal) from the beach nearly four miles away.

"While on my way to another little village one afternoon," says a writer in the Housekeeper, "I overtook a most remarkable figure. A woman was toiling up the path ahead of me with an immense bundle of dried leaves on her head. It was so large that I could see nothing of her above the shoulders, and I was reminded of what a physician had told me only a few days before. He said that despite the erect carriage and almost jaunty appearance of these women, old and young alike, it was really a case of the survival of the fittest, for a large proportion of the female population of northern Italy succumbs to tuberculosis at an early age, due to the heavy burdens borne on the head before their muscles are tough enough for such a strain.

"One morning while drinking my coffee at a tiny cafe I saw such a funny procession on the opposite side of the street that I immediately snapped it with my kodak. It consisted of three women, each with a cask full of wine on her head, a weight of forty or fifty kilogrammes. On the same day I was fortunate enough to get the picture of two other women on the point of leaving a store with a newly purchased sewing machine, which one was helping the other to get nicely balanced on her head preparatory to delivering it to the customer."

### FEVER IN DISEASES.

When Temperature Should Be Reduced—Cold Baths and Fresh Air.

The normal temperature of the human body is about 98.6 degrees, a temperature which the internal forces of the body are able to maintain at a constant figure almost entirely without regard to the temperature of

the surrounding atmosphere. Any elevation of the body temperature above 98.6 degrees or 99 degrees is called fever, and is an indication of something wrong. So also is a fall of the temperature below the normal point; but this is a rarer condition than fever and is due usually to special causes which it is not necessary to consider here.

Since fever is the most evident symptom of a number of different diseases and the one that gives character, as it were, to many acute infectious diseases, it has come to be synonymous with disease itself, and it is common to speak of some one being sick of a fever. But fever is so far from being the disease that it is often the curative and life saving condition.

Many infections, such as pneumonia and typhoid fever, would be more often fatal if it were not for the high body temperature that characterizes them. In pneumonia, for example, it has been noted that the higher the temperature—under certain limits, of course—the more favorable is the course of the disease. It is therefore not a wise thing to give remedies to reduce fever unless the elevation of temperature has continued a very long time or is so high—over 104 degrees—as to threaten in itself the normal performance of the vital functions.

Sometimes, of course, the fever may get out of control, and from being inimical only to the germs of the disease actually endangers the life of the patient. In such case treatment to reduce the temperature is called for.

This is best done by means of cool water in the form of a tub bath. The patient should be put into a bath at 80 or 90 degrees, the water then being gradually reduced to about 70 degrees, or he may be wrapped in a sheet wet with cold water or sponged with cold water.

Water is a safer and better remedy than the so-called antipyretic drugs, the use of which is bad for the already weakened heart.

This cool water treatment should always be supplemented by the freest possible use of fresh air, even in very cold weather. The old fashioned belief that a person with a fever is going to "take cold" easily has no foundation whatever.—Youth's Companion.

### WOMEN OF THE BEDE HOUSE.

English Home Where Fashion Has Not Changed in 300 Years.

The bede house (which means praying house) was founded in the reign of James I, by Henry Howard, the eccentric Earl of Northampton, and the Howard badge is still worn by the inmates on Sundays and holidays. Nor is this the most curious detail of their attic, for the old ladies are garbed now just as they were in the first days of the foundation—blue gowns, scarlet cloaks and high peaked hats, like those worn by Welsh women.

At Rising then, more than at any place I know, we can fancy ourselves back in early Stuart days, having around us these "bedes women" dressed in the identical costumes of 300 years ago. Nothing has been changed in the fashion of their clothes, nor in the dear little rooms they inhabit. As for the inmates themselves, surely they are pretty much the same as were those first fortunate old creatures who profited by Henry Howard's charity and offered up their prayers for his benefit. For in this world of change nothing changes so little as the human heart, and the kinship of humanity runs through every age. The rules under which admittance is obtained were drawn up by the founder.

Every applicant must prove herself to be of "an honest life and conversation, religious, grave and discreet, able to read (if such an one may be had), a single woman, her place to be void upon marriage, to be fifty years of age at least, no common beggar, scold, haunter of taverns, inns or alehouses." Once in, she must hear prayers read by the governess twice a day and be very regular in her attendance at church. Furthermore, she must never be found guilty of atheism, heresy, blasphemy, neglect of duty or misbehavior in the performance of it, or she will be expelled, sent out into the cold world again, far from that haven of peace and rest.

But I am quite sure that none of the old ladies would ever do anything to merit dismissal; they live apparently in the most delightful bonds of sisterly love, taking any donations you may give them for the maintenance of a donkey and small carriage, in which the infirm inmates may take an airing.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

### Waterproofing Shoes.

It is not always convenient or comfortable to wear rubbers when walking on damp country roads or wet city pavements, but shoe soles may be rendered impervious to water by first warming them slightly and then giving them several coats of copal varnish, allowing each coat to dry thoroughly before the next is applied.—Country Life in America.

### Nice for the Doctor.

A paper, describing an accident, says:—"Dr. Crawford was called, and, under his prompt and skilful treatment, the young man died."

Three-fourths of typhoid patients are under 30.

## A Difficult Problem for Posterity

By Gina Lombroso Ferrero.



IT is true that the American woman who works outside the home makes greater material gains than the European; but the family organized in a manner that permits of the woman's working out costs much more. But America is rich and it will be many years before she will have to consider the consequences.

She will have first, however, to think of another problem that this new state of things has created—the diminution of the birth-rate. Roosevelt's cry of race-suicide is not exaggerated as it is believed to be. "We are engaged in the labor of Sisyphus," said one of the most zealous and intelligent propagandists of the Americanization of the immigrant. "We Americanize and Americanize; but the immigrants' children have ceased to have offspring, and we must begin again each year making new citizens of the people of every race and species that Europe sends us." I was told that in the schools of New York 75 per cent. of the children were born abroad.

But what will happen when the flood of immigration begins to abate and America has to depend on herself? A difficult problem for posterity! But perhaps the infinite ingenuity of this New World will find another way to re-inspire in its people the desire for children; perhaps a new way of prolonging life will be found, diminishing the need of people. It is even not impossible that woman must return to the old conditions of life, in which from century to century she has been held by the rest of the world. But if this must come, woman must still be grateful to North America, which at a happy moment of its existence permitted her to live freely, and thus to show to the world how much that is grand and sublime, that man has reserved for himself, she could and would do outside the home, if she did not have the more serious task to accomplish of maintaining the species.—Putnam's.

## Pointers In Motor Car Buying

By Robert Sloss.



THE question of automobile gearing can be safely worked out by you with the salesman of the various cars you may fancy, once you have carefully thought out the conditions under which you will want to use the car. It is determined by the weight of the car, which depends somewhat on your special needs, the nature of the country over which it is to be used, taken in connection with the size of wheels, engine speed and horse power.

In hilly country you will not be very comfortable if the weight of your car, loaded, is more than seventy-five to one hundred pounds per horse power. The manufacturer has these ratios figured out for the stripped car, and has only to add to it the weight of the body you may fancy and the number of passengers you wish to carry. A five-per-cent. grade more than doubles the necessary draft at a speed of eight miles per hour.

A rough average test for hill-climbing ability is to compare the piston displacement to the weight of the car loaded. By multiplying together the number of cylinders, the square of the bore in inches, the stroke in inches, and the constant .7854, you may ascertain the piston displacement in cubic inches. Cars giving less than eighteen cubic inches of piston displacement per hundred weight, will not be very good hill-climbers.—From "Buying an Automobile," in Outing Magazine.

## Edison's Clean Greatness.

From American Magazine.



AND it is clean greatness—Edison's. He wears by rights the look of a contented man. He has robbed no widows, crushed no competition, stolen no franchises, taken no rebates. He is rich not because he gambled in the stock market; nor employed children and women at a starvation wages; nor awaited, doing nothing himself, for the rise in the price of land or corn or cotton. He is famous not because he manipulated an election or bribed. He is famous not because he manipulated an election of bribed came of devious or deceitful ways. He is indeed a clean greatness. He has worked for what he won, and everything that he has done has been in the direction of making this a better world for mankind to dwell in.

Men who toll all their lives for themselves alone grow tired; they want to stop and "get something out of life." Of course they do; but they are tired, not of work, but of their inadequate and selfish lives. But a man like Edison does not get tired; you see that in the youthful look in his eyes. Money doesn't pay him. His enthusiasms are far otherwise, and external to himself. He has lived with the abstemiousness of a monk, having few personal wants, and the wants he had were gratified with the simplest things. He has never stopped to enjoy lengthy honors, though honors have been showered upon him from every part of the world, because he has been so busy all the time with new concerns. There is nothing, indeed, in this world which keeps a man young, joyous, simple, like the unselfish pursuit of truth.

## The Purchase of New York.

By Ruth Putnam.



WHEN the letter announcing the purchase for 60 guilders (\$24) of the 11,000 morgens of land constituting Manhattan Island, was read in the Assembly of the States-General, on November 7, 1626, it was resolved that "No action is necessary on this information." Had their High Mightinesses possessed prevision, how strenuous might have been the resolution passed, that the newly acquired island should be kept forever under their control. Nor was the West India Company, that money-making trust which ventured this first speculation in wheat and in lands in the long line of enterprises known to Manhattan, more alive to the excellence of their investment. More than ten times the sum paid over to the Indians for about 22,000 acres, according to their estimate, has since been paid for a single square foot of New York soil! Probably there is no other sale on record where the advance in value has been so great.—Putnam's.

## Texas Transformed.

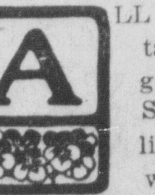
By Emerson Hough.



MY word! History, what is it? The main truth about it is that it is not true. If Plymouth Rock be indeed left in New England, it is the only Puritan thing which remains. On the contrary, the Puritan characteristics have all and several been transferred into a region utterly remote, and one where the opposite of Puritanism has in historical estimate always seemed to obtain. All American history so much as ten years old is a matter of mirth on high Olympus. It isn't true. The immortal gods have their right to laugh in their flowing sleeves. Should we leave it to them, no doubt they would advise us that the only safe way to read history is to turn popular belief precisely the other way about—in other words, and to use terms intelligible in certain narrow circles to "copper the card." Without doubt Plymouth Rock, therefore, is now to be found at Galveston or elsewhere in Texas. If not, it is the only New England thing which has not been removed there within the past few years. New England has changed. So has Texas. They have swapped hats.—Putnam's.

## Striving For Happiness In the Wrong Way

By Epictetus.



ALL that over which people are so enraptured, all that for the attainment of which they are so agitated and give themselves such great trouble—all that does not bring them the least happiness. So long as people are striving they think that their happiness lies in that for which they strive. But no sooner do they possess what they have desired than they begin again to agitate themselves, to feel distressed and to covet that which they do not as yet possess. And the reason is evident, for freedom is not attained by gratifying one's idle desires, but, on the contrary, by freeing one's self from such desires.

If you wish to convince yourself of the truth of this exert for the purpose of freeing yourself from your idle desires even half the effort you have wasted thus far upon gratifying them, and you will soon see for yourself that you will receive much more peace and happiness.

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## THE WESTER

**PLAIN GASOLINE.** Once upon a midday dreary, As I wandered weak and weary Down the lane, I was suddenly sent reeling By a subtle something stealing O'er my brain.

And methought the air grew denser, "Incense from an unseen censer," Murmured I. I was wrong. That odor evil Floated from a big red devil Going by.

**AND DRINK ONLY TEE.** Mrs. Meek—Sausages are so delicious. Have you ever tried that flat kind? Mrs. Cleek—Only once; my husband is such a golf fiend he won't eat any kind but the links.—Boston Transcript.

**SHOWING HER ESTATE.** Miss Heiress—Yes, as far as the eye can reach the land belongs to me. Lord Nocash—I hope, dear lady, that you are not short-sighted.—Boston Transcript.

**HERE WE TURN OUR HEADS.** He (ardently)—Darling, you are the very breath of life of me. She (demurely)—Well, don't you think you could hold your breath a little while?—Boston Transcript.

**AND KNEADY.** "Your son is college bred, isn't he?" "Yes, and in his case I should define college bred as a four years' loaf."—Boston Transcript.

**ONE RECOMMENDATION.** The Customer—Can you recommend these complexion powders? The Chemist—Well, madam, I can't say that they will wash like the natural complexion, but they won't rub off on a coat sleeve!—The Sketch.

**THE MUCH-MALIGNED CABBAGE.** Wigg—What kind of cigars does Closest smoke? Wagg—Well, when you light one of them they instinctively look around for the corned beef.—Philadelphia Record.

**THE RUN OF LUCK.** The Golfer—I suppose you get a lot of practice in the winter time? The Caddy—Naw, we dinna. If it isn't rainin' 'tis snawin', an' if 't isn't rainin' or snawin' 'tis freezin', an' if 't isn't rainin' or snawin' or freezin' 'tis the Sabbath, and it's fair sickening.—The Sketch.

**REAL WORK.** Mrs. Bacon—I understand your husband is at work on a new poem. Mrs. Egbert—He is. He's trying to get some magazine to accept it.—Yonkers Statesman.

**MILDRED THE WISE.** Mr. Phan (roaring from the top of the stairs)—Mildred! What is that young man doing down there so late? Mildred (sweetly)—He's just dopping out how the teams will finish for the pennant.

Mr. Phan (mollified)—All right. Tell him to take his time, not overlooking past performances and the possibility of a slump, and when he gets done he can compare with my list behind the clock on the bookcase.—Boston Transcript.

**NECESSARILY.** West End—Mrs. Fastset says we are made of dust. Riverside—One has to be to travel with her.—New York Times.

**NOT SERIOUS.** "Queer case, that of the Washington banker who used a roll of bills to assault a customer." "I should say so. Was the man much hurt?" "No. Luckily, the roll contained nothing but small bills."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**REASONABLE.** "You are the biggest fool I ever talked to." "Because I let you talk so long?"

**HANDICAPPED.** The militant suffragette glanced critically at the pavement as soon as she had arrived. "I fear the materials for a typical campaign are lacking here," she said. Asked to explain further, she added that she observed an embarrassing absence of loose bricks.—Philadelphia Ledger.

**GROUND FOR APPEAL.** "You are fined \$50 for speeding," remarked the court. "What?" ejaculated the autoist. "Only \$50, I shall appeal. I'm agent for the car I was using, and my rival, whose old thrashing machine couldn't go half the clip I was making, you soaked for a hundred."—Philadelphia Ledger.

**FREE SPEECH.** "Aw, shut up," said a voice from the audience. "My friend," said the Anarchist speaker, "don't you believe in the right of free speech?" "Sure thing," responded the voice. "What are you sore about? I was exercising that precious right."—Philadelphia Ledger.

## 90,000 AMERICAN SETTLERS GO TO CANADA.

The Year 1909 Has Shown an Increase of Over Eighty Per Cent in American Settlement.

Recent advices from Canada, our next door neighbor, the neighboring country across the boundary line, are that upwards of ninety thousand settlers from the United States went into Western Canada during the past year, most of them for the purpose of taking up and settling upon the vacant lands, 160 acres of which are given free by the government, and lands adjoining held by railway and land companies are selling at from nine to fifteen and twenty dollars per acre. Even if thirty or forty dollars per acre were paid, the price would then be low, as the lands produce wonderfully, and at these higher figures there is a large interest on the money and labor invested. The ninety thousand settlers of this year, followed about sixty thousand last year, and for several years the figures have been running into these large figures. There must be a reason for it. It may be found in the single phrase, "They are satisfied." Nothing attracts people more than the success of others, and the news of this reaching other thousands causes them to investigate. The investigation in this case is always satisfactory. The splendid land of Iowa, of Indiana, of Nebraska, Kansas, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio and other states has risen to a high value, and it is worth every dollar asked for it. But there is not room now for all on these lands. With the ever increasing demand for grain there comes the ever increasing demand for land. Canada is the only country on the continent in a position to supply it. Land there that costs, say, \$15 an acre, produces on a reasonable calculation twenty-five bushels of wheat to the acre, or about \$20. The most liberal calculation as to cost makes the cost to produce \$7.50 per acre, leaving a balance of \$12.50 per acre. The \$7.50 carries good wages for the farmer, and all other conceivable contingencies. With conditions like this, covering the entire area of about 500,000 square miles, it is readily understood why 90,000 Americans should follow the 60,000 last year. Canadian government agencies at different points in the Union are always ready to give information regarding the free homestead lands, ready to advise the settler as to the districts which would suit him best.

**A Sight Worth Seeing.** Sea captains are good "yarn spinners," and some of their tales are so funny that they ought to have happened, whether they really did or not. One of the commanders of the transatlantic fleet, says the Washington Star, tells this story and vouches for its truth:

"One trip," he said, "there was a woman who bothered the officers and me to death about whales. Her one desire was to see a whale. A dozen times a day she besought us to have her called if a whale hove in sight. "I said rather impatiently to her one afternoon:

"But, madam, why are you so anxious about this whale question?" "Captain," she answered, "I want to see a whale blubber. I must be very impressive to see such an enormous creature cry."

**Struck for Home.** Courage is believed to be a very necessary quality for the soldier, but a writer in Harper's Magazine tells of a private who ran at the first shot, and declared himself to be braver than those who faced the battle.

Pat was unmercifully laughed at for his cowardice by the whole regiment, but he was equal to the occasion.

"Run, is it?" he repeated, scornfully. "Faith, an' I didn't, neither. I just observed the general's express orders. He told us, 'Strike for home and yer country,' and I struck for home."

**Pointer from the Outside.** Rivers (editorial writer on the Thunderbolt)—Here's a circular letter I've just received from a physical instructor who wants me to give his system a trial. He says I'm not doing half the work I am capable of doing."

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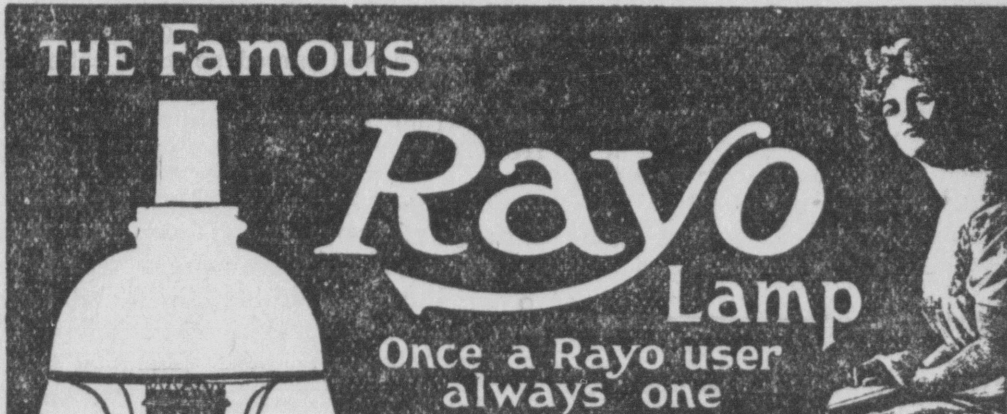
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Lv Jasonville	10:11am	3:42pm	8:53pm
Ar Terre Haute	11:00am	4:30pm	9:45pm
No. 28 mixed leaves Westport at 4:40 p. m., arrives at Seymour 6:25 p. m.			
South Bound	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5
Lv Terre Haute	6:00am	11:15am	5:35pm
Lv Jasonville	6:51am	12:08pm	6:27pm
Lv Linton	7:12am	12:30pm	6:51pm
Lv Beehunter	7:23am	12:43pm	7:04pm
Lv Elora	7:38am	12:58pm	7:19pm
Lv Odon	7:48am	1:08 pm	7:29pm
Lv Bedford	8:00am	2:25 pm	8:40pm
Ar Seymour	10:07am	3:35pm	9:50pm
No. 25, Mixed, Leaves Seymour at 2:25 p. m., arrive at Westport 4:10 p. m.			

For time tables and further information, apply to local agent, or

H. P. RADLEY, G. P. & T. A.  
Grand Opera House, Terre Haute.

Indianapolis and Louisville Traction Company



In effect June 1, 1909.

Hoosier Flyers leave Seymour for Columbus, Edinburg, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at: 9:17, 11:17 a. m. and 1:17, 3:17, 6:17, 8:17 p. m.

Dixie Flyers leave Seymour for Grotherville, Scottsburg, Sellersburg, Watson Junction, Jeffersonville and Louisville at: 9:11, 11:11 a. m. and 2:11, 4:11, 6:11, 8:11 p. m.

Local Cars leave Seymour for Louisville and all intermediate points at: 6:54, 7:54, 9:54, 11:54 a. m. and \*12:51, 2:51, 4:54, 6:54, \*8:54, \*11:00.

Local freight service daily except Sunday between Seymour and Jeffersonville and Louisville.

For rates and information see Agents and official time table folders in all cars.

\* For Scottsburg only.

H. D. MURDOCK, Supt.  
Scottsburg, Ind.

### Itching Eczema Washed Away.

Is it worth 25 cents to you to stop that awful, agonizing itch? Surely you will spend 25 cents on your druggist's recommendation, to cool and heal and soothe that terrible itching eruption?

By arrangement with the D. D. D. Laboratories of Chicago, we are able to make a special offer of a 25-cent bottle of the oil of wintergreen compound, known as D. D. D. Prescription. Call, or write, or telephone to Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

We absolutely know that the itch is stopped AT ONCE by D. D. D. Prescription, and the cures all seem to be permanent.

### A MISTRIAL

Jury in the Case of Mrs. Ford Was Unable to Agree.

Cincinnati, Feb. 7.—Shortly after 11 o'clock Sunday morning the jury in the case of Mrs. Jeanette Ford, charged with attempting to blackmail C. L. Warriner, the defaulting Big Four railroad treasurer, was dismissed by Judge Swing, who had been notified of the utter inability to agree upon a verdict. The jury stood eight for acquittal and four for conviction.

### Reason Enthroned.

Because meats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach trouble, biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite control, then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. Try it. For sale at all dealers. Samples free.

### Rome's Reception to Fairbanks.

Rome, Feb. 7.—One hundred and fifty students, besides tutors, attended the dinner given Sunday at the American college in honor of ex Vice President Fairbanks. In the course of a speech Mr. Fairbanks said there was no greater influence for good and for civilization than the Roman Catholic church. He praised the patriotism of the Catholics in the United States.

### Sore Lungs and Raw Lungs.

Most people know the feeling, and the miserable state of ill health it indicates. All people should know that Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, will quickly cure the soreness and cough and restore a normal condition. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar. Sold by all druggists.

### Schooner Went Ashore.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 7.—The schooner Carrie A. Norton, bound from Jacksonville to New York with a cargo of lumber, went ashore two miles north of False Cape life-saving station on the Virginia coast. Captain Brown, his wife and crew of six men were taken from the schooner by the life-savers.

### For That Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching, and many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by all dealers.

### Robbed the Passengers.

Pittsburg, Kan., Feb. 7.—Three unidentified men held up and robbed the passengers on an eastbound Missouri Pacific passenger train five miles east of here. They were unmasked. About \$400 and a small amount of jewelry was taken.

An attack of the grip is often followed by a persistent cough, which to many proves a great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies have failed. Sold by all dealers.

### Two Trainmen Hurt.

Monon, Ind., Feb. 7.—Two trainmen were hurt and dozens of passengers were jolted and jarred severely when an engine pulling a fast passenger train from Chicago crashed into a freight train in the Monon yards here.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered the most effective remedy for all kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up the system and restores lost vitality. Sold by all druggists.

### Former Sheriff Convicted.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—The jurors before whom Thomas W. Box, fifty-three years old, former sheriff of Lawrence county, was tried for the killing of Martin E. Barrett, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter, the verdict carrying with it a sentence in prison from two to twenty-one years.

If troubled with indigestion, constipation, no appetite or feel bilious, give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial and you will be pleased with the result. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. Sold by all dealers.

Commander Robert E. Peary, the discoverer of the north pole, has referred to Colonel Roosevelt in connection with the proposed Antarctic expedition in a way to indicate that he believed Colonel Roosevelt should be chosen to lead the venture.

## MINERS WILL KEEP AT WORK

Not Going to Give Advantage to Operators.

WANT AT LEAST AN EVEN SHOW

Policy of President Lewis Will Hold Mines Open During Summer, Then If Strike Be Necessary It Will Come in the Fall, When the Operators Must Have the Coal and When the Miners Would Be in a More Independent Position—The Present Wage Scale Will Probably Be Maintained During the Summer.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—Despite the failure to reach a wage agreement with the operators, the officers of the United Mine Workers, who have returned to this city from the Toledo conference do not apprehend a strike, and it is regarded as certain that no strike will result until late in the fall. The convention here adopted a resolution which requires the miners to remain at work pending a settlement of the wage question, and it is said that this resolution was in accord with the policy of President Lewis not to have a strike at a time when the operators would be practically independent of their employees.

President Lewis is said to favor remaining at work at the present wage scale during the summer if need be, for the operators can afford to close their mines during such a season indefinitely and the miners would be starved into submission before winter. On the other hand, if the men remain at work till late fall or early winter and then strike, they would at least have an even show with the mine owners. Those in the confidence of Lewis are satisfied that there will be no suspension of work in the bituminous fields while the work is slack and the demand for coal as limited as it will be from April 1 until fall.

### HE WAS MELANCHOLY

Prominent Washington Banker, a Former Hoosier, Kills Himself.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Charles H. Davidge, the most prominent former Indiana man in business circles at the national capital, shot himself in the right temple. Death was almost instantaneous. The suicide took place at Mr. Davidge's home.

Mr. Davidge's name was almost a household word at the capital, as for many years he had been one of the city's most prominent bankers. He was a brother-in-law of the late John C. New of Indianapolis and his Indianapolis relatives were among the state's leading families. Mr. Davidge was born in Crawfordsville sixty-seven years ago. The suicide is thought to have been caused by melancholia due to the recent death of his wife.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by all dealers.

### Chesterton Again "Wet."

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 7.—Chesterton, a town of 1,200 residents, which has been "dry" for the last two years, became "wet" today. Four saloons were opened in the town. Two years ago the remonstrance was carried by a substantial majority. This year the "drys" lacked sixty votes of being a majority.

It has caused more laughs and dried more tears, wiped away more diseases and driven away more fears than any other medicine. It's Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, thirty years without an equal, that's enough.

Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

### Child Was Left Alone.

Alexandria, Ind., Feb. 7.—The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gelling was burned to death in the home while his mother was downtown shopping. A fire was in the stove and it is supposed he upset a gasoline can, from which the flames spread. Neighbors took the child from the burning building, but it was too late.

LaGrippe pains that pervade the entire system, LaGrippe coughs that rack and strain, are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. Is mildly laxative, safe and certain in results. Sold by all druggists.

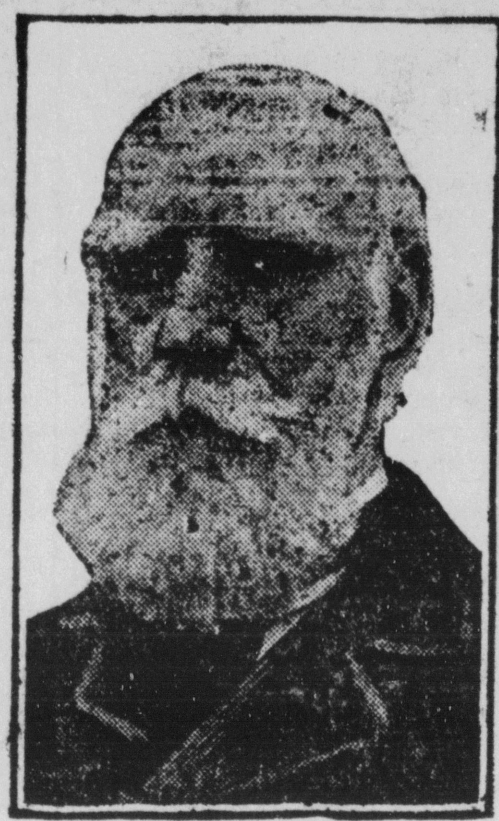
### Missing With the Payroll.

Indianapolis, Feb. 7.—With more than \$400 in silver and gold, the weekly payroll of the Keyless Lock company, Oran Teeters, twenty-two years old, described in the police bulletin as "a dude," is missing. Detectives are puzzled and express the belief that Teeters has left the city.

Don't be a slouch, stop that grouch, Get well and you will see More joy in life and less of strife—Try Rocky Mountain Tea.

Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

### LORD STRATHCONA SAID TO BE SUBJECT OF PLOT



LORD STRATHCONA.

A Toronto paper has heard that Canadian high commissioner's princely residence in Montreal is to be blown up during the sitting of the Roman Catholic eucharistic congress in that city next fall.

## MINE BUREAU BILL URGENTLY PUSHED

Secretary of Mining Congress Issues Strong Plea.

Washington, Feb. 7.—J. D. Callbreath, secretary of the American mining congress, who is here furthering the interests of the bureau of mines bill, says: "The slaughter in our coal mines seems to grow in proportion each day. We have not had time to get over the shock of the Cherry mine holocaust with its 300 dead until we are startled with an explosion in Colorado with seventy-five dead and an explosion two days later in Kentucky with thirty-four dead. What is worse, these horrors will grow in intensity and number unless the United States government and the states take heroic steps. If the United States had the same regard for the safety of its workmen as the different countries of Europe, 15,000 out of the 20,000 men killed in the coal mines of the country in the last ten years would be living today. Thirty thousand of the 50,000 injured, many of them maimed for life, and more of a financial burden to their families than if they were dead, would not have been injured.

"The bill for a bureau of mines passed the house with an almost unanimous vote. It cannot pass the senate too soon. This bill offers the only remedy—an investigation of the causes of these disasters. The states have failed miserably because the task is too large for them. It is theirs to inspect the mines and issue regulations that ought to be enforced, but it is surely within the function of the federal government to conduct the scientific research into the mysterious causes that are hurling so many men into eternity and leaving so many helpless widows and orphans in our country."

### NEW POWER PLANT

Coke Ovens Harnessed and Their Waste Heat Put to Use.

Pittsburg, Feb. 7.—Heat escaping from the tops of coke ovens throughout western Pennsylvania is to be harnessed and turned into electricity at once. Today the first real work in harnessing heat was done at the Shamrock plant of the Fayette Coke company. It has been estimated that about \$22,000,000 worth of heat has been escaping from the ovens of the Connellsville region each year, and arrangements have now been completed for capturing about \$14,000,000 worth of it per year and turning it to good effect. The invention, which is backed by much Pittsburg capital, is that of George E. Titlow of Uniontown, whose idea is to have small boilers over the top of each coke oven while it is burning and from this heat generate steam and electricity, which can be used in the coke region towns.

### OKLAHOMA ANXIOUS

Inquiry Made Regarding Whereabouts of Bank Guarantee Fund.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 7.—A resolution was introduced in the Oklahoma legislature today commanding the state bank commission to inform the house of representatives whether there is any money in the bank guarantee fund and if so where it is deposited or invested. Recently the allegation was published that there is no money in the guarantee fund. It is understood that a resolution will also be introduced in the house declaring it the sense of that body that Attorney General West conduct the investigation of the charges against Governor Haskell recently filed.

Explosion Claims Eleven Miners. Indiana, Pa., Feb. 7.—Ten Hungarians and one American is the death toll of a gas explosion in the Ernest mine of the Jefferson and Clearfield Coal company, five miles north of this place.



### "Bosh" Said Anty Drudge.

Mrs. Thinkless—"Goodness! I wish I could send these children to school at daylight on Monday morning and not see them again till dark so I could have the whole day free for washing."

Anty Drudge—"Bosh! Mrs. Thinkless. Just you get a cake of Fels-Naptha and wash with it in lukewarm water, without boiling. Then you can get the children ready for school at 9 o'clock, do your whole washing and be through within time to get their lunch at noon."

Do you dread the coming of washday in winter?

Do you hate to stoke up a red hot fire, boil the clothes, fill the house with nauseous odors and bend over a tub of steaming suds half the day?

Then don't. It's worse than unnecessary. Wash your clothes with Fels-Naptha in lukewarm water without boiling.

Surprising how easy it is.

And how comfortable. And how much cleaner and brighter and sweeter it makes the clothes—flannels, woollens, colored goods as well as the white things.

Instead of a whole day, your washing with Fels-Naptha takes only a couple of hours and doesn't leave you with a tired back, a steamed face or bruised knuckles.

All that's necessary is to use lukewarm water—never hot—and follow directions on the back of the red and green Fels-Naptha wrapper. Try it next washday.



In the Deep.

"But how in the world did the crooked lobster break the bars of the jail?" "Why, some one smuggled him in a couple of sawfishes."

While it is often impossible to prevent an accident, it is never impossible to be prepared—it is not beyond any one's purse. Invest 25 cents in a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and you are prepared for sprains, bruises and like injuries. Sold by all dealers.

### Hearings Will Be Public.

Indianapolis, Feb. 5.—The first session of the special investigating committee appointed at a meeting of the city council to look into the conduct

of councilmen in connection with the recent proposed letting of a contract for city hall lighting fixtures, probably will be held Tuesday night. The council decided that the sessions of the committee should be open to the public.

It's equal as a curative tonic does not exist. So perfect is its medicinal action as to challenge the admiration of all. Such is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, the world's regulator. Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

### Advertised Letters

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

#### LADIES.

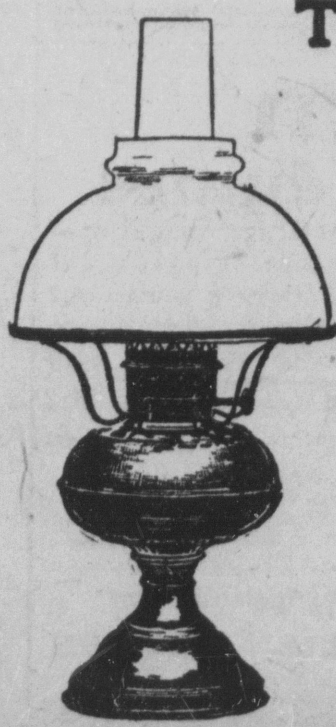
Miss Carrie Emme.  
Mrs. Sarah Patton.  
Mrs. Julia M. Sappington.  
Mrs. Julia May Sappington.

#### GENTS.

Mr. Robert Donnels.  
Mr. Raymond Gard.  
Mr. Harry Pollart.  
Mr. Isaac Sturgeon.  
Mr. N. A. Wood.

WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.  
Seymour, Feb. 7, 1910.

## The Sewing Light The Rayo Lamp



makes the long evening brilliant with its steady white light for sewing or reading. Made of brass, nickel plated and equipped with the latest improved central draft burner.

The Rayo is a low-priced lamp, but you cannot get a better lamp at any price.

Once a Rayo user, always one

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not At Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

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